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OUTLINES.

W. J. Bryan ended his campaign in Greater New York yesterday after a record day in which he made 18 speeches and was again greeted by large crowds. He addressed the laboring men yesterday morning at 3 o'clock——Mr. Taft toured the upper part of New York State yesterday. The industries on the banks of the Hudson from Greater New York to Troy was made the text of his speeches——Col. John Temple Graves, of New York and Georgia, Vice Presidential candidate of the Independence party, made an address to his fellow towns people in Atlanta yesterday——The Inter-State Commerce Commission in Washington, announced several new ruling relative to railroads yesterday——Prince Henry, of Prussia, made a flight with Count Zeppelin in his airship yesterday——John W. Kern toured Indiana yesterday and ended his second day last night with a big meeting at Decatur—— delegation of College and University representatives met in New York yesterday and organized a National League of College Men's Democratic Clubs——The Coroner's jury investigating the death of A. McNeal, a Norfolk lawyer, who was fatally shot, were unable to agree yesterday——Roosevelt yesterday celebrated his 50th birthday in a quiet way at the White House——Bryan expects to carry the precinct in which he lives for the first time in which he has been a candidate for President——The Steel trust declares its usual quarterly dividend——New York markets: Cotton quiet, 5 points advance, middling uplands 9.40, middling gulf 9.65. Money on call steady 1 1-4 to 1 1-2 per cen., ruling rate 1 1-2, closing bid 1 1-4, offered at 1 1-2. Flour quiet, but firm. Wheat firm, No. 2 red 1.09 1-4 elevator. Corn steady No. 2 old 84 and No. 2 new 77 1-2 elevator. Oats steady, mixed 52 to 52 1-2. Rosin and turpentine steady.

All you Democrats, be sure to go to the polls next Tuesday and plunk the whole ticket.

This time next week phonograph "records" of political speeches will be a drug on the market.

The question is what's Hearst going to do with those stolen letter books after the election is over?

Wonder what Hobson now thinks of the imminent danger of Japanese subjugation of the United States?

An exchange says "Foraker can't be lost," and Taft wishes the same thing could be said of Foraker's State.

Senator Foraker seems to be the only one of the prominent Republican politicians whose voice is not giving out.

It strikes us that Gompers could have made his reply to Roosevelt much stronger. His letter was not up to what we expected.

The Republicans are busy this week mending the many breaks in their fenses with Uncle Sam's special make of adhesive paper.

One week more, then we'll know "who's who" and the political spellbinders can rest from their pro patria labors.

Mayor Johnson's three-cent street car fair threw too many laborers out of work in the city of Cleveland to please the people of that city.

The Republican leaders are whistling like old Harry to keep up their courage as they are going through the political graveyard this week.

A New York State man sues his mother-in-law for ten thousand dollars damages for an alleged assault on him. That's the limit, sure.

New Hanover should poll her full Democratic vote this year in order that the party may get its proper vote in the State and district conventions.

Who got the greater part of that forty million dollars paid for the French Panama canal is a question now worrying some people in this country.

Professor Holt seems to have dropped out of politics all of a sudden after the Fifth District Convention and to have made up his mind to stay out—for two years at least.

If the Republicans are so sure of carrying the State of Connecticut by such a big majority why does Taft waste precious time in these last days of the campaign stumping that State?

Every Democrat in New Hanover who has put his name on the registration book of his precinct should make a point of going to the polls on election day and voting the straight ticket from presidential elector to township constable.

AFFAIRS IN RALEIGH

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ALLEGED NIGHTRIDER CASE

Unable to Give Bond Exacted of Him. Delegates to Cotton Growers' Convention—Portrait Presented. Other Items.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 27.—C. B. Thompson, the farmer of New Light township, this county, charged with starting a night-rider movement and threatening to burn a number of cotton gins if the owners did not stop ginning cotton until the price advanced, is still in jail unable to give the bond required for his good behavior. He is 33 years old and has a wife and three children.

There was an impresive ceremony in the North Carolina Surpeme Court today for the presentation of an oil portrait of Archibald Debow Murphy, who served with distinction as Superior Court and acting Superior Court judge in this State from 1818 to 1826. The address was by Major John W. Graham, of Hillsboro, and reviewed the honorable career of Judge Murphy.

A long contest in the courts here over the possession of a little child, the parties to the contention being, on one side the child's step mother, Mrs. Rena H. Phillips, and on the other its grandfather, Walter Fowler, terminated today in an order by Judge Neal that the granfather have custody of the child, both of whose parents are dead. The step mother making the fight to keep the child is the widow of the late A. C. Phillips, broker.

State Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham, at the request of President Harvie Jordan, has appointed a long list of delegates to the annual convention of the Southern Cotton Growers' Association at Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 10th to 12th. In the list are A. J. McKinnon, Maxton; N. J. Mayo, Tarboro; J. J. Laughinghouse, Greenville; C. W. Mitchell, Aulander; J. P. MacRae, Laurinburg; A. T. McCallum, Red Springs; William Dunn, Newbern; Ashley Horne, Clayton; S. B. Alexander, Charlotte; J. A. Brown, Chadbourn; J. E. Peterson, Goldsboro; E. L. Daughtridge, Rocky Mount; J. M. Wood, Goldsboro; J. A. Shine, Faison;; S. H. Hooks, Clinton; H. D. Edgerton, Laurel; H. C. Dockery, Rockingham; Dr. W. J. McLendon, Wadesboro, Hector McLean, Laurinburg; J. A. Hartness, Statesville. These do not prevent any others who wish from attending, neither do the appointments interfere with appointments by township or county meetings.

AN URGENT REQUEST.

Ladies in Charge of Departments of Playgrounds Parade Next Week.

Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, chairman of the General Committee of the Woman's Auxiliary having in charge the plans and arrangements, urgently requests that all chairmen and vice chairmen of sub-committees and the ladies interested with them in the Playgrounds Parade next Tuesday, meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock at The Orton for the transaction of important business. At this meeting the final plans for the parade will be made and it is important that each chairman and her assistants be in attendance. The ladies are asked not to forget the hour, 4 P. M.

EX-SHERIFF SURRENDERS

Defaulting Republican Official of Sampson Gives Himself Up.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., Oct. 27.—Ex-Sheriff Aman came in today and surrendered to the court. It is said that he will make bond in the sum of $2,500 and have his case continued until the next term of court. He will enter a plea of guilty to the charge of embezzlement but denies that he is guilty of the further charge of forgery. For two years he has been traveling in the West to avoid arrest.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Crystal Palace—Hundreds Saw.
Clayton Giles & Son—Insurance.
E. Warren & Son—Huyler's Candies.
J. W. Plummer, Jr.—Huyler's Candies.
Academy of Music—"His Honor, the Mayor."

Business Locals.

Daniel F. Beatty—For Sale.
All Hallowe'en—Friday Night.
B. M. Lehue—Independent Shop.

Add to Your Nest Egg.

Deposits made with us on or before Monday, November 2nd, will bear interest from November 1st, receiving credit on March 1st for four full months' interest.
The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.
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CONFERENCE AT Y. M. C. A.

Inter-State Secretary Huntington Present For Conference With Local Association Workers—Several Addresses and Exercises.

An interesting and pleasant meeting was held at the Y. M. C. A. last evening, in the nature of a conference, those present consisting of the local workers and their friends, who met and discussed Association work in general with Inter-State Secretary G. C. Huntington, of Charlotte.

Mr. Huntington made an excellent and instructive talk, relative particularly to the development of the work in the Carolinas, over which he has jurisdiction. The meeting was presided over by Mr. K. W. Price in the absence of Dr. Joseph Akerman, who was unable to attend on account of sickness.

Mr. Huntington spoke first on the many encouraging things coming to the Wilmington Association, notably strong executives has secured cordial relations existing with the pastors of the city, and particularly the activity Christian young men are taking in the work of the Association. He said that it was a well recognized fact that the accomplishments of an Association are largely in proportion to the interest which young men manifest in the activities of the same. He further mentioned the universal organization of the value of the Association body, not simply in cities and educational institutions, but where young men are found. He mentioned especially the successful work being conducted among men employed in digging the Panama Canal, four associations having already been established and three more are urgently called for.

He referred to the period of wider usefulness of which the Association is now entering and undertaking work in behalf of men not members. Also a particularly interesting work being promoted in behalf of the large number of immigrants coming to this country. In conclusion he suggested that the Association should make a thorough study of the conditions existing between the young men in Wilmington and its vicinity, with a view to promoting and extending the influence of the Association, wherever there exists the need of its helpful influences.

Others speaking who made brief talks were Messrs. L. B. Rogers, F. W. Burkhardt and Secretary Kettle. Mr. Rogers spoke on the obligation and opportunity of the young men in the promotion and development of local work, and Secretary Kettle's remarks were as to the religious work of the Association.

ON VARIOUS CHARGES

Two Defendants Bound Over to Higher Court Yesterday.

Geo. Bell and Walter McGuire, both colored, were given preliminary hearings in the police court yesterday, the former on the charge of larceny of a bicycle, and the latter for cruelty to animals. The McGuire negro is alleged to have stolen a bicycle which was the property of Mr. O. H. Durant, and the evidence against him was sufficient to place him under a $50 bond. The other defendant charged with unmerciful treatment of a mule was sent to jail in default of $25 bond.

William Freeman, a white man, for disorderly conduct was given a term of 30 days on the county roads. It was reported yesterday by the prisoners in the guard house that Freeman had made an effort at self-destruction, said to have been due to an irrepressible craving for opiates of which he is an habitual user. He was baffled in his effort, however, by the hurried response of the police, who took the ropes and hammock from his cell, with which he tried to hang himself the day before.

MR FRED KIDDER DEAD.

Passed Away Last Night at Litchfield, Conn.—Telegram Received.

A telegram received last night by Mr. George W. Kidder bore to him the distressing intelligence of the death of Mr. Fred Kidder, which occurred last night at 9 o'clock in a sanitarium at Litchfield, Conn., where he had been under treatment for some time. Mr. Kidder had been in poor health some time and while his death was not unexpected, it came as a sad blow to the family and friends. He owned the Kendall and Lilliput plantations in Brunswick county, and had devoted himself in latter years to the culture of rice there but spent much of his time in Wilmington where he was well known and highly esteemed. The remains will be brought to Wilmington for interment, the funeral arrangements to be made later.

New Lodge For Lumberton.

State Deputy Grand Chancellor J. D. Nutt returned on the early train yesterday morning from Lumberton where he paid an official visit to Lodge No. 35, of that town, and also completed the charter list for a new lodge which will be instituted there early in November. The new lodge will consist of 40 members, numbering some of the most prominent business and professional men in the town.

Seats for "His Honor The Mayor" On Sale Tomorrow. **

12 1-2 cent fancy gingham 8 1-2c at Rehder's. **

FORMALLY RECEIVED

Appropriate Ceremonies Last Night Marked Installation of New Fire Equipment.

AT CENTRAL HEADQUARTERS

Prominent City Officials and Many Members of Old Volunteer Department Present—Elegant Repast and Address.

Following highly satisfactory tests of the apparatus yesterday morning and afternoon, the two fire engines, the one a large and modern machine just constructed in the factory, and the other being the old Atlantic or Button, which has been thoroughly overhauled and rebuilt, both from the Nott Fire Engine Company, of Milwaukee, Wis., were formally received from the Fire Committee by the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance in behalf of the city last night at an elaborate reception and luncheon given by the committee at the central fire station.

There were present for the deligatful affair not only the city officials named but the officers and entire membership of the Department together with a large number of the old volunteer organization. All the apparatus in the Department was drawn up in front of the building in case of an emergency while the hosts and guests assembled on the second floor of the splendid new station only recently erected. Mr. W. A. French, Jr., chairman of the Fire Committee, was master of ceremonies and he had an able assistant in his clever colleague and co-worker on the committee, Mr. Martin Rathjen. The third member of the committee, Dr. C. P. Bolles, unfortunately could not be present.

Chairman French received a letter from Chairman H. C. McQueen, of the Board of Audit and Finance, expressing great regret that it was impossible for him to be present and commending highly the fire service of the city and congratulating the committee upon its splendid work in so well equipping the Department.

A string band was in waiting and ever and anon discoursed good music that added not a little to the eclat of the occasion. It was a little after 8 o'clock when Chairman French rapped for order and in a brief address, setting forth that the machines had been given a thorough trial and had accomplished even more than had been expected of them, formally tendered the apparatus to Mayor William E. Springer. The chief executive in behalf of the municipality thanked Chairman French and members of the committee in providing these new and modern machines for the protection of the city and took occasion in closing to pay a high tribute to the old volunteer organization, many members of which were present to rejoice with the Department as at present constituted and the city officials upon the installation of this splendid and most effective equipment.

The ceremonies were very simple and pleasing and at their conclusion that "most noble Roman of them all," Alderman Martin Rathjen, in behalf of the committee, extended a most cordial welcome to all present to the hospitalies of the occasion. Before taking their places at a long table arranged on the north side of the hall, there was a spontaneous call for Mr. E. A. Wilkinson, general sales agent of the Nott Fire Engine Co., who with Mr. Geo. M. Code, the master mechanic, gave the test for the city during the day, and he responded in an exceedingly graceful little talk, commending the Wilmington Fire Department, the city officials and the public for their interest and stating that the delivery of the Wilmington engine was one of the most satisfactory of over 200 that he had made since his connection with his company.

The spread prepared in honor of the occasion was a bountiful and splendid one, fine old North Carolina barbecue occupying a prominent place on the menu with all the necessary condiments and accessories. When the feast had been enjoyed and some time had been spent in pleasant social intercourse with one another, cigars and cigarettes were passed around and the master of ceremonies, Mr. French introduced a number of speakers who added to the feast of edibles a feast of wit and wisdom in numerous responses to calls from the chairman, who was never happier than in performing the pleasant duties assigned to him in presiding. Many of these responses were from the old volunteers, who took occasion to rejoice with the men in the active service of the city and told many a pleasing story and anecdote of the old days of fragrant memory. Chief among these responses were the remarks of Mr. Rathjen, Mr. Timothy Donlan, Capt. W. P. Oldham, Mr. M. G. Tiencken, of the Board of Audit and Finance; Mayor Pro Tem. Martin O'Brien, Col. Walker Taylor, Capt. Louis Belden, Capt. T. D. Meares, Messrs. Jas. H. Taylor, Jr., F. A. Lord, W. L. Burkheimer, John Haar, C. D. Jacobs, John H. Sweeney, P. Q. Moore, Chief Chas. Schnibben, who was introduced as the "man behind the guns;" City Attorney Marsden Bellamy, Alderman W. W. King and Engineer T. B. Jackson, who will be at the throttle of the new and powerful machine. All the responses were pleasing and scintillating with wit and humor, sometimes not unmixed with pathos as the days and incidents of the long ago were recalled.

The test of the engine yesterday was witnessed by large crowds and the new machines were received with loud acclaim by the public. The new engine threw a stream on test over the First Baptist Church steeple the highest in the city, and had no difficulty in lifting a stream entirely over the Carolina Apartment House, perhaps the tallest building on the highest elevation in the city. The old Adrian was not one whit behind the new "W. A. French, Jr." for her size and in the two machines, Wilmington has two splendid engines that will materially add to the efficiency of the already highly efficient Wilmington Fire Department.

Embroidery and lace sale at Rehder's. **

FOR THE LOCAL ELECTION

Called Meeting of Democratic County Executive Committee Held Last Night—Final Rally Monday Evening—Other Notes.

A special meeting of the Democratic County Executive Committee was held yesterday at noon at headquarters in the Smith Building, Chairman Furlong presiding and a majority of the members being in attendance. The local political situation was considered at length and after the meeting Chairman Furlong said that he had every encouragement to believe that New Hanover would give certainly between 2,500 and 3,000 for the ticket next Tuesday.

This prediction was born of plans laid at the meeting yesterday to get out the full vote on election day. The committee realized that the task of getting out every voter was a large one, but after discussing the situation and ways and means fully a plan was hit upon by which every voter in the city will be afforded at least an easy opportunity of expressing his preference between the parties at the polling places. To do this will take money, but the business men and party workers have been very liberal in the past and it is believed that they will respond very liberally to a last call for funds to be made this week. It is unnecessary here to go into details but the vigor of the campaign up to now will have a brilliant culmination in the efforts that will be put forth next Tuesday.

It was regretted that Mr. W. M. Tye could not be present and speak last night on "The Relation of the Democratic Party to Labor" as had been announced. Chairman Furlong received a telegram from State Chairman Eller during the day stating that he was sorry Mr. Tye could not reach here to speak last night. The wording of the telegram left the impression that Mr. Tye might be here later in the week.

At the meeting of the Executive Committee yesterday it was decided to hold the final rally of the campaign at Democratic headquarters in the Smith Building on next Monday night. Plans for the following day will be fully discussed and the work systematized in such a manner that there will be no confusion at the polls. Among the speakers will be Hon. John D. Bellamy, Marsden Bellamy, Sr., Esq., Col. George L. Morton, Messrs. J. O. Carr, Geo. Rountree, Herbert McClammy, B. G. Empie and others. All are invited to attend the meeting and co-operate with the leaders in the effort to poll the full strength of the party in New Hanover to the end that the county may properly be represented in conventions and have the representation to which it is entitled in the Legislature.

RUN DOWN BY STEAMER.

Exciting Experience of Mr. D. L. T. Capps and Companion Yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon between 1 and 2 o'clock while Mr. D. L. T. Capps and young Geo. Dicksey were coming in to the wharf in a launch nearly opposite Front street market, some distance in the river, their craft was run into by the steamer C. M. Whitlock and Mr. Capps, who was knocked overboard, had a narrow escape from drowning. Two colored men on board the Whitlock pulled them aboard, with the small craft. Strange to say the launch was not damaged and the boy was not thrown out. Mr. Capps was not seriously injured and was at his place of business as usual last night, relating the story of an altogether exciting experience.

FINE RECORD, THIS

Extra Dividend of $5 Per Share for Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Atlantic Trust and Banking Company held yesterday at noon, an extra dividend of $5 per share was declared on the stock of the company, this in addition to the regular dividend of 6 per cent., which is semi-annual. This extra dividend was a source of congratulation for the management. Although one of the youngest of the saving institutions of the city, the Atlantic Trust and Banking Company has come rapidly to the front and this latest evidence that it is making money for the stockholders as well as the depositors is very gratifying.

THE ELKSFEST NEXT

Formal Inauguration of a Big Week in Wilmington is Being Elaborately Planned.

REDUCED RATES ARE GIVEN

Every Precaution For Children's Safety in Civic and Floral Parade on Tuesday—Other Notes of The Fall Festival.

As the days go by the evidence multiplies that the Elksfest to be given in Wilmington next week is going to be the greatest week of fun and frolic every pulled off here. The fest will be formally inaugurated on Monday with messages from prominent men of the country.

It has been arranged to have Hon. William Jennings Bryan send a letter to be read on the opening night, which will be on the eve of the election, and strongly recommending the play grounds movement to the American people. Hon. William H. Taft has already forwarded his letter, which also strongly commends the movement. It is hoped to have President Roosevelt file a message at 8 P. M. reaching the grounds as soon thereafter, the latter formally opening the Elksfest Week. Then there will be greetings from Hon. John Temple Graves, Hon. John Sherman, Hon. Henry Watterson, Vice President Fairbank (no, you needn't put on your wraps) and others. The programme of the opening will be published in full later in the week.

Exalter Ruler Leitner has received a communication from Mr. W. H. Fitzgerald, of Richmond, Va., commissioner of the Associated Railways of Virginia and the Carolinas, in which he announces a joint passenger tariff, giving reduced railroad rates on all railroads entering the city. These fares are given and issued for the A. C. L. and S. A. L. Tickets are issued for first-class continuous passage to be sold from November 2nd to 6th inclusive, with final limit to Monday ,November 9th, and on each the usual baggage allowance will be carried, that is 150 pounds on each whole ticket, and 75 pounds on each half ticket.

These rates are now being advertised from all points in this territory.

On Tuesday, election day, the great civic and floral parade will take place. Nearly every organization in the city will be represented by a float or display of some kind and the children are expected to turn out in great numbers. Some parents have expressed some anxiety over allowing their children to go into a parade where there are so many horses and vehicles, but it was announced yesterday by Dr. T. B. Carroll, who has charge of this department that all the horses and carriages will be in the front of the procession and there will be no possibility of danger. Then, too, the Elks have taken it upon themselves to see that the safety of each and every child is looked after carefully. Dr. Carroll assures every parent and guardian that there will be not the slightest danger.

SUPREME GROVE OF DRUIDS.

Mr. H. E. Bonitz Attended Biennial Session in New Orleans.

Mr. H. E. Bonitz, of this city, returned yesterday from New Orleans, where he has been in attendance upon the biennial session of the Supreme Grove of the United Ancient Order of Druids, and he speaks enthusiastically of the splendid meeting and the warm welcome accorded the visitors. Mr. Bonitz was grand representative from this State and the meeting was in progress from October 20 to 24th, inclusive, with forty members of the Supreme Grove in attendance. The programme of entertainment was a striking feature, and Mr. Bonitz was given the honor in behalf of the Supreme Grove to present Mr. Louis B. Sorensen, chairman of the entertainment committee, with two handsome loving cups and a silver waiter as a token of esteem and high regard.

Mr. Bonitz will most probably be named as chairman of either the committee on law or finance, which will be a worthy appointment.

At the special meeting of Myrtle Grove No. 2 last night, Mr. Bonitz was heartily received and his report of the various reports from the Supreme Lodge was very gratifying to the local Druids.

Action Was Dismissed.

The action brought by Capt. John Harper against Mr. Mark Winner, who lives at Carolina Beach, charging him with injury to personal property, and which has been deferred for some time awaiting trial, was heard in Justice Bornemann's court yesterday and dismissed. The case arose over certain contentions of the parties concerning a house that is alleged to have been torn down. It is understood that the case will be carried to the higher court. Herbert McClammy, Esq., represented the plaintiff, who was taxed with the cost of the action, and Hon. John D. Bellamy, was counsel for Mr. Winner.

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New sweater coats at Rehder's. **

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PUT DOWN THE NIGHT RIDERS.

In a strong editorial denunciatory of the many outbreaks which have occurred recently in this country the Wall Street Journal says:

"This new phase of 'the man on horseback' simply puts anarchy in the saddle. It is highwaymanship of the local desperado in organized form invading the realms of civic freedom and depriving the individual of the best that the world has striven to attain. There is nothing ambiguous about the manifestation of lawlessness, whether it shows itself at the foot of the Lincoln monument in Springfield, Ill., or in the tobacco belts of lower Indiana, or in the mountains of Kentucky, or in the black belts of Georgia, or in the cotton districts of Alabama. It means lawlessness and cowardice are doing their best to make it hopeless for capital and labor to exist."

That is just it. Lawlessness is retarding progress and development, and it is time that those of our people who want to see the latter should make up their minds that the former should be put down. If the chief executives of the States whose duty it is to protect the law-abiding citizens thereof are too busy making campaign speeches to give the proper attention to such matters then the people should assert their sovereignty and ferret out the law-breakers and turn them over to the criminal courts for prosecution and punishment on conviction.

It is a peculiar state of affairs in any State when its Goveronr, the chief executive officer of all the people, the man who is supposed to be at the head of the executive department of the State for the purpose of protecting the lives and property of the citizens of that State, is so busy making a political tour of his own and other States that he has not time to attend to such gross violations of the criminal law within his own State. But now, since the life of one Governor has been threatened because of his apparent determination to bring certain murderers to justice we may look for action in the way or repression of lawlessness and of punishment of law-breakers on the part of the Governors of those States in which such lawless acts have occurred.

There has been some indication of outbreaks of this class of lawlessness in our State, but we believe we have a Governor who will be prompt in nipping it in the bud. We do not believe Governor Glenn will wait until matter have progressed as far as they did at Reel Lake in Tennessee before he takes a hand. It is true our Governor has been rather unfortunate in his efforts to convict the perpetrators of two horrible lynchings which occurred durnig his administration, but that fact will make him more active in taking measures to prevent the repetition of such deeds. No doubt he has his eye on the night rider situation in this State and is prepared to use the power of his office to suppress any such lawlessness the minute the danger alarm is sounded. We hope so, at least.

ELECTION RESULTS.

From one end of the country to the other the people are figuring on the prospects of success by the two dominant parties in next Tuesday's election. Did you ever pause to consider how little effect such figuring and speculation have on the result? How little basis the men who are doing the figuring and the speculating, have for the same? How much guess work there is in it all? The "big papers" who pretend to have their representatives in all sections of the country "feeling the pulse" of the public know little more about what the outcome is going to be than the backwoods farmer who reads his country weekly paper days after the news it contains has become stale. That the election is in doubt is all that anyone can say truthfully of the situation, and it is going to remain in doubt until the people have decided it the one way or the other.

Some people in ante-election days take for gospel truth the statements made by the leaders of their party and the big newspapers on their side, entirely ignoring the claims and the statements of men and papers on the other side who claim to be equally well informed. Others are governed in forming their opinions as to what the results will be by the odds in election bets the "sports" are giving, as if the latter knew more about it than any one else. How betting men should have a better insight than any one else into the way the millions of people of this country are going to vote we have never been able to understand. This election is not going to be decided by the forecasts of political leaders or of newspaper correspondents nor by the betting of sporting men, but by the way the electors cast their ballots and there is no living man who can tell how that is to be until after the ballots have been placed in the boxes.

If you want to know how the election is going wait until Tuesday night—then you will know how it has gone.

It takes a vigorously conducted campaign, such as the present one, to unearth the graft which is being conducted by the politicians and their frauds. The latest graft sensation is that which the New York World has discovered showing a combination of grafters for the purpose of scooping up Governmental lands in New Mexico. According to the World Sherman, the Republican candidate for Vice President and a member of Congress, was the chief actor in the scheme and through him the land-grabbers expected to secure what they would through act of Congress introduced by him.

If Archbold were to declare that Hearst had made material changes in the letters stolen from his office, which one would the public be inclined to believe? Hearst starts out with the handicap of reading letters charged against him with having been stolen, which charge he has not had the face to deny. A great reformer of politics and public morals is he!

When that distructive war with Japan begins how the people of the United States will regret that the hero of the Merrimac affair in Santiago harbor saw fit to exchange his commission as an officer in the navy for a certificate of election to Congress.

The day after the election Taft will pull out that letter beginning "Dear Bill," published last week, but dated from the White House several years ago and he will console himself with the thought that there is still a chance for him to get on the Supreme Court bench before March 4, 1909.

In another column we publish a special dispatch to the Philadelphia Press, a Republican paper, from its staff correspondent, who has been sent to Ohio to study the political situation there. His view of conditions there is most interesting, especially to Democrats.

Mr. Taft says the injunction grew up to protect the poor. But after it got grown it has turned on the poor and has been oppressing them ever since.

The antithesis of the certainty of death and taxes is the uncertainty of a jury's verdict and a popular election. Some folks right now are recognizing the latter part of this proposition.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Suspicion attaches to the story associating Mr. Roosevelt with the Outlook magazine simply because it states that he is to be only "associate editor." The American people will have to be shown the thing with which Theodore Roosevelt has to do that he doesn't boss as "chief cook and bottle-washer plenipotentiary."—Chattanooga Times.

—New York's anti-betting laws are interfering with election wagers to some extent. It seems that those who wish to get down money on the event have got to cross the river to New Jersey to tell each other their views and swap memorandums of agreement. Still there is some betting going on. Nothing very sensational has been recorded during the week just ended. ome Taft men are still flashing rolls—on the New Jersey side of the river—and some Bryan men are "covering" them as fast as they come. The odds are said to be somewhat in favor of Taft for President and Chanler for Governor of New York.—Savannah News.

—The World says that Mr. Taft and Mr. Bryan "have assisted in hastening the day of honest publicity" and regrets that President Roosevelt has never shown an equal interest in divorcing corrupt politics and corrupt business. If Mr. Taft has assisted in hastening the day of honest publicity he has assisted by contributing to the political history of the United States the statement of a candidate for the high office of President that to publish the sources and amounts of contributions to his campaign fund would reduce his chances of victory at the polls. If we admit that Mr. Taft has helped to hasten the day we must credit President Roosevelt with having aided. He was the first to admit that Mr. Taft could not risk publishing the lists.—Courier-Journal.

—The Republicans seek only to defeat the Democratic party, but Mr. Hearst, Mr. Watson and Mr. Debs are seeking to destroy it. The ambition of each of them is to build upon the ruins of the Democracy a new party. In consequence these three former supporters and warm adherents of Mr. Bryan are now his most implacable enemies. They assail him more vigorously and vindictively than does any Republican leader. They attack the Democratic party far more fiercely and unscrupulously than does Mr. Roosevelt or Mr. Taft. Whatever the independent voter may think of the present Democratic organization, can he doubt for an instant the necessity for preserving the Democratic party?—New York World.

—Mr. Bryan reminds the eRpublicans that the panic of 1873 occurred under the Morrill tariff, that of 1893 under the McKinley tariff and that of 1907 under the Dingley tariff. He might have added that the panic of 1884 occurred under the tariff passed by the Republicans in 1883 after the Tariff Commission's recommendations for a reduction of duties had been thrown into the waste basket. Here are four Republican tariffs which in less than forty years have been illustrated, adorned and glorified by four panics followed by periods of depression. What have our Repnublican friends to say about the inevitable inference from such a record as this? Business began to improve soon after the enactment of the Wilson tariff, and revenue increased constantly under that measure.—Philadelphia Record.

—There are some illuminating remarks on the situation in England, published in the Chicago Record-Herald of October 18 (a Republican and protectionist newspaper), written from Manchester on October 5, by the well-known correspondent, Mr. William E. Curtis—in part as follows: "The commercial conditions are no better here than in Glasgow. The same depression prevails throughout the kingdom—and it is all owing as the victims claim, to last fall's panic in the United States, which arrested an unprecedented movement of commerce and trade, and closed the American market for British merchandise. Thus our British cousins suffer for our sins, for no one will deny that the financial troubles last year were due to sinful causes, stock gambling and extravagant speculation. And not only Great Britain, but every other country shared in the consequences. Recent returns show that commercial and industrial conditions in Germany are not better than here and in some respects worse."—Macon Telegraph.

—While prohibition laws that cannot be wholly ineffective have been spreading over a very considerable part of the country, internal revenue receipts have been increasing faster than population. This fact has been recognized as highly mysterious, for it is common knowledge that the loss of trade in alcoholics that must have occurred in the "dry" regions has not been made up by increaosed drinking in regions that have remained 'wet." A like mystery is offered for solution by the statistics contained in the annual report of the Distillers' Securities Corporation. These show that there has been a marked falling off in both gross and net receipts in the whiskey business, and yet it is asserted by the President of the trust that consumption has not diminished. Here again the facts are apparently inconsistent. The inconsistency is not very alarming, however. It can continue as long as it pleases if at the same time it is obvious that temperance is becoming more and more the rule of life.—New York Times.

TWINKLINGS.

—In society a woman is known by the week-end company she keeps.

—"I've just figured out how the Venus de Milo came to lose her arms." "How?" "She broke them off trying to button her shirt waist up the back."

—Politician—We will carry the country this fall. Constituent—I hope so. The country has been supporing you fellows long enough.—Puck.

—"How are you progressing with your French?" asked the first dear girl. "Oh, fine," replied dear girl No. 2. "I've got so I can make myself misunderstood perfectly."—Chicago Daily News.

—Lady—You look robust. Are you equal to the task of sawing wood? Tramp—Equal isn't the word, mum. I'm superior to it. Good mornin'.—Wasp.

—"You're such a wretched writer it's a wonder you wouldn't get a typewriting machine." "I would, only that would show what a miserable speller I am."—The Catholic Standard and Times.

—"Where were ye last night, Casey?" "Shure, Oi plinged into the soshal swim at McCarthy's." "Oi know the wather is niver very dape there, an' judgin' frim yure face ye must have hit botthom."—Puck.

—Teacher (catching Tommy fishing on Sunday)—Do you know the wages of sin? Tommy—Is this a sin? Teacher—It undoubtedly is. Tommy—I don't want wages for this. I'm satisfied to do it for fun.—Illustrated Bits.

—"Papa," enthusiastically exclaimed the youth as the vast audience at the Grand Opera rose to its feet applauding and shouting its approval at the final drop of the curtain, "how tickled everybody is that this thing is over!"—Evening Sun.

—A lady on one of the ocean liners who seemed very much afraid of icebergs asked the captain what would happen in case of a collision. The Captain replied: "The iceberg would move right along, madam, just as if nothing had happened," and the old lady seemed greatly relieved.—Success.

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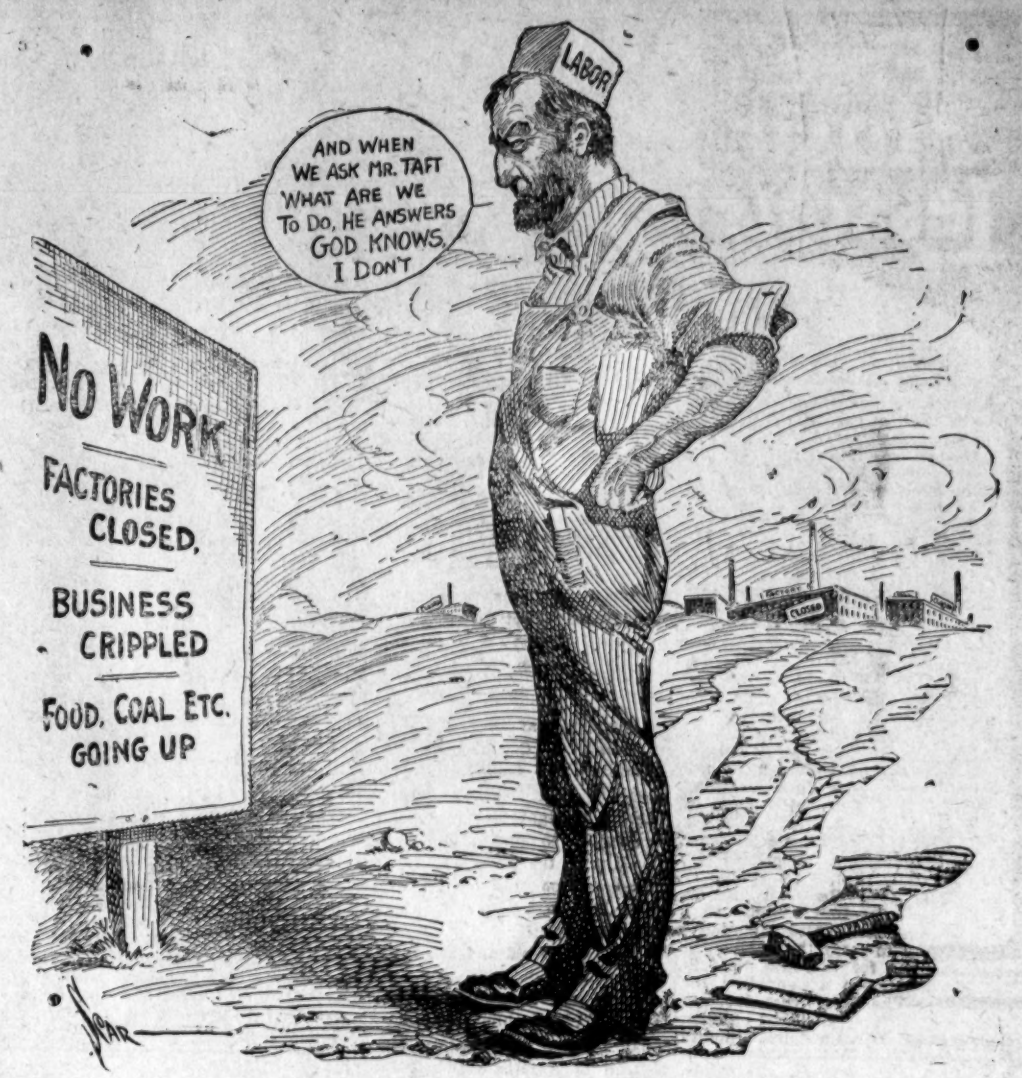
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EFFECTS OF REPUBLICAN PANIC.

IS BETTING ON BRYAN.

Traveling Tobacco Man Says Taft Money is Not so Plentiful.

(Durham Herald.)

On the eastbound train yesterday afternoon there was John B. Rogers, of New York City, who had about him a whole car of interested auditors and they were talking politics, when Mr. Rogers was not handing it out so hot to them that they couldn't talk.

The Easterner is a man of picturesque personality and had no trouble attracting the crowd. He had less holding it.

"They talk of odds of five to one on Taft in New York," he said, "but I haven't seen any of it. I've got $6,000 on Bryan at odds of two to one and there is mighty little money at those figures. The Taft men do big talking about odds and you ask them for their money, then they drop down as near to even bets as possible.

"Why, I have been all through New York and Bryan has the whole crowd scared to death. A friend of mine bet me that Bryan wouldn't carry Nebraska, nor Lincoln, his town, nor the county. Then, like a damned fool, I turned right around and bet him $50 that Taft wouldn't carry Ohio, nor Cincinnati, nor Hamilton county. Of course, that bet is against me.

"In my opinion there is going to be a landslide to Bryan. They haven't been able to pick out anything against him. They have attacked his government guarantee of deposits in the banks and he is the only man who has offered any sort of solution of the question. New York is alive as she has been but rarely. I believe Bryan will be elected without a doubt."

UNEMPLOYED VOTE FOR BRYAN.

Secret Poll by The World Overwhelmingly Favors Nebraskan.

(New York World.)

Every man who applied for work at the Sheltering Home of the Unemployed, No. 20 Duane street, last Saturday was handed a blank ballot at the request of The World, and he registered secretly his preference for President and Governor. If he voted in 1904, he also recorded that vote.

The result shows an overwhelming sentiment for Bryan and Chanler. The Lieutenant Governor polled 102 of the 112 votes cast. Shearn will get only four of the 71 votes cast for Hearst in 1906.

The vote was as follows:

Number of votes cast	112
For President in 1908.	
Taft	14
Bryan	90
Hisgen	5
Debs	3
For Governor in 1908.	
Hughes	6
Chanler	102
Shearn	4
For President in 1904.	
Roosevelt	40
Parker	60
Debs	3
For Governor in 1906.	
Hughes	15
Hearst	71

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A Unique Vindication.

[Original.]

When Evan Bancroft, a young Virginian, went to study at the University of Heidelberg he promised his mother that he would never fight a duel. But Bancroft did not consider it necessary to refrain from joining the fighting corps and engaging in harmless encounters. Indeed, there was plenty of fighting material in him inherited from his progenitors, and this was why his mother had exacted the promise. Her father had been killed in a duel, one of her brothers through reckless exposure in the civil war, while another had been shot attempting to defend a prisoner from a mob. These shafts of death, striking so near her, caused her to brood and induced a fear that her only son should fall through a similar cause.

Bancroft at Heidelberg proved so handy with all sorts of weapons as to distance all competitors save one, a young Englishman named Horcut. The two held the record for being the best swordsmen at the university, and there was a desire among the students that they should fight for the championship. Bancroft made no objection to a friendly encounter, the vital parts of each disputant being covered according to the corps rules. But in truth he did not relish even a friendly fight with the Englishman, who was an avowed hater of Americans.

When the terms of the fight for the championship came to be arranged Horcut insisted on certain innovations rendering the affair dangerous. It was suspected by a few that he considered Bancroft the better swordsman and, judging him to be timid, wished to force him to decline the combat. This would give Horcut the championship without fighting for it or risking to lose it. He would then return to England to enjoy his honors.

Whether or no this was his object, it was accomplished. Bancroft declined to fight except under the rules for friendly contests. Horcut accused him of cowardice, and there was now nothing for him to do but challenge the Britisher to an "unprotected" fight or be cut by the members of his corps. He declined to fight either for the championship or to vindicate his courage, but he wrote his mother the facts and begged her to release him. She declined to do so. Besides, friends at home assured him that she was in a critical physical condition and if anything happened to him it would kill her.

Bancroft neither cared to give his true reason for not fighting nor believed that it would be accepted. It would have been accepted and he would have been respected for it if he could have satisfied the students of its truth. In no country in the world are parents more beloved and respected than in Germany. But to convince a couple of thousand of young men that he was not hiding behind his mother's skirts was out of the question.

So Bancroft finished his university career a cut man, though he was burning to meet his adversary. When he went home to Virginia, finding that the story had preceded him and prejudiced some people against him, he went to the farther west and engaged in sheep raising. Soon after this his mother died.

Several years passed. One day Bancroft was treading his way on a path barely a foot wide around the side of a precipice. While doing so he saw a party of tourists coming. Persons meeting on the path must pass carefully, the one taking the outside, the other the inside. Bancroft was expecting to take the outside when suddenly he recognized in the leading man in the line of tourists his old enemy at the university. He was also recognized.

"Wait there," said Horcut, pointing to a place where the path widened a little. "I pass inside." He spoke with his old domineering tone. Bancroft stepped to the spot indicated, saying as he did so:

"I pass inside."

"You pass outside, I say," growled Horcut, remembering that Bancroft was a coward.

"Are you armed?" asked Bancroft quietly.

"No."

Bancroft took a revolver from his hip and flung it over the precipice. It struck 500 feet below.

"What do you propose?" asked Horcut, blanching.

"To settle a feud of long standing. We are about the same build. Let one of us throw the other over. If I am victorious I will pass inside the rest of your party."

Horcut stood aghast. "My God, man, that would be certain death for both of us!"

"It would prove us both brave men."

"But"—

"We are keeping your friends waiting."

The friends were as terrified as the principals. They begged Horcut not to accept such a fearful challenge.

"Do—do I understand," faltered Horcut, "that you will pass inside those behind me?"

"That is my intention."

"And you will permit me to pass you on the outside in safety?"

"You have only the word of a coward for that."

Horcut consented with a hanging head, and the passage was made. Some of the tourists—one had been a student at Heidelberg during Bancroft's disgrace—returned to Europe, and the story got to the university. Bancroft was invited there and when he went was enthusiastically greeted. When he told of his pledge to his mother he received an ovation.

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Wednesday, October 28, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 28, 1908.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Tuesday, Oct. 27:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 60 degrees; 8 P. M. 66 degrees; maximum 78 degrees; minimum 60 degrees; mean 69 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 rainfall for the month, 3.91.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Monday at 8 A. M. 7 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Rain Wednesday and Thursday, increasing east to northeast winds.

Port Calendar—Oct. 28.

Sun Rises.....6:18 A. M.
Sun Sets.....5:09 P. M.
Day's Length.....10 hrs. 56 min.
High water at Southport 9:11 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 12:09 A. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Dr. Leslie B. Evans, of Clarkton, was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

—Messrs. A. F. Patterson and A. L. James, of Laurinburg, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. H. C. Bridger and wife, of Bladenboro, were among the guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. C. McCaskill, of Maxton, spent yesterday in Wilmington and returned home last night.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Cheek and son, of Greenville, S. C., are spending a few days in the city on a visit to the family of Mr. E. M. Cheek.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. Tuck Farris, nee Miss Cheek, arrived home yesterday, after spending the past ten days in northern cities on a bridal tour.

—Mr. J. S. Chambers, superintendent of motive power of the Atlantic Coast Line with headquarters in Rocky Mount, spent yesterday in the city on business at headquarters.

—Mrs. W. P. M. Turner, of Lexington, arrived in the city last evening and will spend some time with her parents Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Baldwin, on Fourth street.

—Former State Senator Jas. F. Moore, of Currie; Mr. E. A. Moore, of this city, and Mr. W. B. Moore, of Greenville, S. C., were here yesterday evening and left on the night train for a pleasure trip to New York. It is their desire to return South before the election on Tuesday.

—Rev. T. A. Smoot pastor of Grace Church, this city, went up to Fayetteville Monday where the same evening he lectured on "A Hundred Years of Methodism in Fayetteville," which was one of the features of the centennial of Methodism being celebrated there this week, Bishop A. W. Wilson, of Baltimore, presiding.

DEBATE AT ANGIER.

Hon. H. L. Godwin and Col. A. H. Slocomb Speak in Harnett County.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Angier, N. C., Oct. 27.—Hon. H. L. Godwin and Col. A. H. Slocomb, candidates for Congress, spoke here today to an enthusiastic audience. Col. Slocomb spoke first, making a strong effort for himself and party. He declared the Republican party had reformed and, if the people would elect them again they would do better. He condemned the Republican policies of re-construction and Russellism, and said if he knew Cox would do as bad as Russell, he would not support him.

His attack on Bryan and National issues made votes for Democracy. Mr. Godwin followed with a forcible speech, fully exposing the rottenness and rascality of the Republicans while in power in North Carolina, and proved to the audience that it was the same old gang claiming to be reformed. Mr. Godwin's discussion of tariff and National issues was so clear and convincing that it is hard to see how any honest man could hear his speech and vote the Republican ticket.

BOARD MEETS TONIGHT.

Will Probably Gather to Consider Water Works Bonds Again.

The Mayor stated yesterday that he would more than likely issue today a call for a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen to be held tonight to consider further the sale of the waterworks and sewerage bonds in view of the Board of Audit and Finance's refusal to concur in the recent sale by the Board on the ground that due diligence had not been exercised in advertising a five per cent. bond. It is expected that the action tonight will be a re-advertisement of the bonds on a five per cent. basis.

In this connection it will be of interest to know that the Board of County Commissioners have already received over 20 inquiries from bidders as to the 4 1-2 per cent. issue which they expect to float shortly after the election.

FOOTBALL TODAY

Strong Teams of High School and Cape Fear Academy This Afternoon.

The strong football elevens of the Wilmington High School and Cape Fear Academy will meet on the gridiron at League Park this afternoon in one of the first of a series of championship games of the city. Both teams have been in hard training for some time and a good exhibition should result. The game will be for the benefit of the playgrounds movement and it will be called at 3 o'clock. There will be a good car schedule and the game should be well patronized. The admission is only 25 cents.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—First Church of Christ, Scientist, Market and 17th streets. Services this evening at 8:15 o'clock. All are invited.

—A deed was filed for record yesterday conveying from The American Suburban Corporation to A. H. Creasy, for $275, lot on south side of Wolcott street, 363 feet west from its intersection with 20th street, 33x113 feet in size.

WILMINGTON CONVOCATION.

Now in Session at Fayetteville—Wilmington Rectors Attending.

The Convocation of Wilmington, Protestant Episcopal Church, is in session this week with St. John's Church, in Fayetteville, this week. The convocation opened last night with evening prayer and sermon by Rev. W. E. Cox, of this city, while Rev. Thos. P. Noe, of Wilmington, also held services at the church of St. Phillip, the Apostle. At 11 o'clock this morning Holy Communion with sermon by Rev. A. W. Seabrease, of this city, will be observed and in the afternoon there will be a business session. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 P. M. by Rev. Mr. Noe at St. John's and by Rev. Mr. Cox at St. Philip's. The Woman's Auxiliary will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Thursday morning there will be litany and sermon by Rev. Edward Wootten at 11 A. M. with a special children's service at 3:30 P. M. with an address by Rev. Mr. Cox. Evening prayer will be observed at 7:30 P. M. with addresses on "The Christian at Home" by Rev. Mr. Noe; "The Christian in Business," by Rev. Mr. Seabrease, and "The Christian in Society," by Rev. Mr. Cox.

Cases Were Continued.

Two interesting cases were slated for trial in the police court yesterday but both were still further continued. One was that of young Mr. Adair McKoy, charged with violation of the driving ordinance on the afternoon of the Carolina-Davidson football game in the city, which has created some feeling, and the other was that of Mr. C. D. Gilbert charged with failure to comply with a recent ordinance passed by the Aldermen upon recommendation of the Board of Health as to the storage of hides. The latter case was continued until next Tuesday. Herbert McClammy, Esq., appears for Mr. Gilbert and City Attorney Marsden Bellamy, Jr., for the prosecution. It is understood that the constitutionality of the ordinance is questioned.

Independent Barber Shop.

Mr. B. M. Lehue, formerly at The Orton and on Market street, has opened The Independent Barber Shop at No. 114 Princess street, where he is prepared to take care of all patronage entrusted to him. He is nicely fitted up in his new place and has a corps of good barbers. Elsewhere in today's paper he announces extremely low prices to the trade and he would appreciate a call.

COL. GRAVES IN GEORGIA

Would Turn Back Upon Hearst Party If Its Faith Fails.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 27.—John Temple Graves, Independence party Vice Presidential candidate, in a speech before his fellow townpeople in this city tonight said:

"In time past I had hoped the leadership in which I wholly believed and trusted might bring back the Democratic party organization to its real mission and its earlier faith. For eight years my faith was pinned to William Bryan as the hope of Democratic reform I am sorry with all my heart that my idol has shown its feet of clay.

Mr. Bryan is now the Democratic party. He has absorbed it. The Denver convention was the plaything of his will.

For ten years Mr. Bryan has denounced Grover Cleveland unceasingly as a 'bunco steerer' who stabbed his party after betraying it, and yet at Denver, facing an election before the people, he prepares or supervises or directs a resolution which pays tribute to Grover Cleveland in unmeasured eulogy."

In conclusion Mr. Graves said:

"And if the Independence party should fail in its faith, I shall just as unhesitatingly turn my back upon it as I have done the Democratic party."

BRYAN'S HOME PRECINCT

He Expects to Carry the Same For the First Time.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 27.—W. J. Bryan expects to carry his own election precinct in Lincoln next Tuesday for the first time in his three campaigns for the Presidency.

"You know that the Republicans are saying that I never carried my own precinct," said Mr. Bryan to members of the National Democratic Club, "but the Republicans have not told that when I moved into that precinct there were ten Republicans to two Democrats, and that now there are only two Republicans to one Democrat. This year I am going to carry my own precinct. I am going to carry the city of Lincoln and I am going to carry the State of Nebraska."

BASEBALL DIRECTORS MEET.

Application From Raleigh and Rock Hill Considered.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 27.—At a special meeting of the directors of the Carolina Baseball Association today applications were received from Raleigh, N. C., and Rock Hill, S. C., to enter this league. The applications were held in abeyance pending the question of whether Columbia, S. C., remains in the South Atlantic League. In the event that it does not it is understood that Columbia and one other city will be taken in, making an eight-club league. The only action of importance was the extension of the playing schedule, allowing each club 110 games.

Seats for "His Honor The Mayor" On Sale Tomorrow. **

The Theatre

Among the good things offered by the Crystal Palace this week none is proving more interesting and novel than the bag-punching act of Bashford. He offers a rare exhibition in the way of bag punching and injects into his sketch just enough comedy to give splendid variety. His act is pretty in appearance, as under a canopy bedecked with flags swings his punching bags. These he punches in most skilled manner, never missing a blow, and he often keeps two going at one time, hitting them with his fists, elbows, shoulders and head. The Palace yesterday did another rushing day's business.

Mayor Springer and a party of prominent city officials have been invited to occupy a special box at the production of "His Honor, the Mayor," at the Academy of Music Friday evening of this week. Of a recent presentation of the comedy in Richmond, the Times-Dispatch says:

"Bright and 'funny,' with a fine collection of merry songs, with picturesque settings and a chorus good to gaze upon, both from the up and down point of view, "His Honor, the Mayor," a musical comedy, guaranteed not to tax the brain danced and sung itself into favor at the Academy last night.

"As Little Chip and Mary Marble, of pious Bijou comedy memory, led the fun-making, there was never a doubt of a successful outcome, for no 'artists' who visit these hilly heights hold warmer places in the hearts of Richmond play-goers than do the small eccentric-legged gentleman with the comedy mug and the little lady who grows younger every day, or rather night, and whose laugh is as catching and whose glances are as fascinating as ever they were.

"It's a merry musical skit, that 'His Honor, the Mayor,' and goes with a vim and dash that's refreshing from the moment the curtain goes up on a bevy of kicking femininity until it finally hides the 'Zulu kids,' there is not an idle moment for the spot light man, for it is hit and run, and the next man up at every stage of the game.

"Perhaps the most popular song as well as the most tuneful is 'A Little Girl Like Me,' in which Florine Sweetman offers to kiss numerous gentlemen in the boxes and on the front row.

"As the lady warbled, the spot light played on the victim's head, bald or otherwise, and how the audience did enjoy the grilling!"

At the Popular Bijou.

"The Happiest Day of Her Life," a sweet story of innocent childhood, will be the offering at the Bijou this afternoon and evening and the film should be witnessed by the little folks and mothers especially. A sweet little girl, preparing to receive her first communion, is seen leaving the church, romping and playing with other little companions. She becomes overheated, bathes her head in a cool spring, is brought home finally with a high fever and is comfortably tucked away until the physician arrives. She is nursed through a long illness but is not well enough quite for the communion Sunday, but her little dresses are brought out to gratify her and finally when the nurse leaves for a moment she quickly slips into them and steals off to the church. She suffers a relapse but is finally nursed back to health and is presented lastly in the picture in the fun and frolic of a bright sunshine, restored to the anxious parents.

APPEAL TO BRUNSWICK

Former Citizen of County Writes to Friends in Support of Democracy.

(Communicated.)

Cronly, N. C., Oct. 27.—Please allow me space in your valuable paper to make an appeal to some of my friends in Brunswick county, knowing that your paper has the largest circulation of any other newspaper in that county. Some of my friends, I am very sorry to hear, intend to vote the Republican ticket in the coming election and I would like to make an appeal to them through your valuable paper which always stands ready to help in a good cause. I would first remind them that this is the same old Republican party that in 1896 forced on the good white people of Northwest township, Brunswick county, three negro magistrates, a negro constable and two negro school committeemen to visit our white schools and apportion the money paid by the white people to educate the negro. And now this same Radical party has the nerve to come out and ask decent white men to vote for them, telling them that the negro is out of politics and that the Republicans are as good as the Democrats, when they know that one of their first acts would be, should the people of North Carolina be so foolish as to allow them to get control of our State again, to give every ignorant negro in the State the right to vote, for they know it is impossible to keep the State of North Carolina in the Republican ranks without the negro vote. Give us a good State and county government and let our Senators and Congressmen decide what is best for our people Nationally. Now, who are we going to look to for our good local government. Take the past records of the two parties and I think any good, thinking man will say to the Democratic party—and who are we to thank for the different conditions today but such men as Senator Overman, Simmons and the other great leaders of the Democratic party; the leaders of the Democratic party saw that something had to be done and they decided to put the negro out of politics, and the only way to keep him out is to keep the Democratic party in power, for just so sure as the Republican party ever gets in power again just so sure will we have negro rule. And I blush with shame when I hear of a white man who has ever been a Democrat, saying he is going to support the Republican ticket and I don't know whether to get mad with him or feel sorry for him for he has either lost all respect for himself or he is a fit subject for the lunatic asylum and I hope that what I have heard about some of the white men in Brunswick is not true; men who stood with me in the dark days of the nineties and were ready to lay down their lives for good government and white supremacy, now ready to support this same gang of rascals that brought about those dark days. It is more than I can understand how they can be led astray, by some little old politician who cares nothing but to serve his personal ends, and I hope they will well consider what they are doing before they cast their vote. I would ask them to go back only a few years and see what the white people had to contend with in Northwest township under this same Republican rule where we had 125 white men and 275 negroes. I have seen white men crowded out from the polls and have to wait until the majority of the negroes voted before they could get to the polls and four or five negro deputies standing around to keep order, appointed by a white Republican sheriff. I hope that every white man in Brunswick county will do his duty and go to those misled men and try to show them the error of their way. Try to get them to help roll up one of the biggest majorities for the continuance of good government and white supremacy that we have had in many years.

Yours for Democratic success,
SAMUEL L. CHINNIS.

Returns to Wilmington.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Nash will be delighted to know that they have returned to Wilmington to live and will have their home at Second and Nun streets. A short while ago Mr. Nash went to Atlanta to take a very flattering offer with the Southern Railway, but recently still greater inducements were offered him by the Atlantic Coast Line to return to this city and he has again taken his desk in the freight traffic department of the South's favorite system in the headquarters at Wilmington.

All Hallowe'en Party.

On next Friday night an All Hallowe'en party will be given at St. James' Parish House and doubtless those who intended to be present, especially the children and their friends, anticipate a night of great interest and pleasure. The party will be held from 5 until 10 o'clock.

AFTER THE GRIPPE

Vinol Restored This Man's Strength

"Several years ago I was attacked by a severe case of grippe, which left me with a hacking cough, soreness in my chest, and bronchitis. I took nearly every kind of cough syrup sold on the market, besides medicine given me by physicians.

I received no permanent relief until my druggist asked me to try Vinol, and after taking three bottles I was entirely cured.

I believe Vinol to be the greatest blessing ever offered to the public, as it does what is claimed for it." R. E. R. Hicks, Mapleaville, Ala.

The reason Vinol cures chronic coughs, colds and pulmonary troubles is because it contains tonic iron and all the healing and body building elements of cod liver oil but no oil.

Vinol is also unexcelled as a strength builder for old people, delicate children, weak and run-down persons, and after sickness.

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10 yds. best 10c Bleaching for..... 75c	$1 one yard wide black Taffeta Silk..... 79c
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50c white Sheets, 72x90, for..... 39c	Single cotton Blankets for..... 25c
50c heavy fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers, each..... 39c	25c Ribbon, 6 inches wide, all colors, fine quality, for..... 19c

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does smooth work in buying goods for his Big Stores except when he can chop off a corner and make the prices small for you. Buying is his part, the selling is mostly done by his clever salespeople, each one is anxious to make their department be of service to you The Shoe Man stands ready to wait on you, and sell you shoes that are as good as the best and his prices are less. He has many standard lines and a big variety to show. His children's school shoes will serve the tuff kid and please the tidy mother.

The Dress Goods Department is represented with about seven salespeople. In their assortment every class of dress goods and all the new and latest weaves, the little invisible plaids and stripes we are showing. 54 inches, all wool Panama, worth $2.00 per yard for $1.25. Broadcloths are getting stronger every day, and they have almost every color to show. The smooth glossy quality that will wear and give satisfaction at $1.00 per yard, remember the width, 54 inches. Mohairs in the same class in black and navy, that we sold at $1.00 picked up at a less price, now 75c per yard. 44-inch Panama, the kind that sells for $1.00 elsewhere, is in our assortment for 50c and 69c. All wool voils and herring-bone serge in the fancy plaids, everything that is new. A large assortment of fancy silks, black and all colors at $1.00 per yard, the kind that rustles and will give satisfaction. A special drive in velvet has been reduced from 75c to 35c per yard. Domestic goods, Bleaching, Sheeting, Ginghams, Flannels, Outings, Silkalines, Draperies, Chambrys, and anything else that you can call for. In price we lead and the rest try to follow.

Millinery, the latest assortment of hats just received. That little stylish high top hat, and the big hat, the kind that the bandeau fits your rat. All these new styles are shown in large quantities, and being trimmed by our milliners free of charge and handed out in large quantities. The Millinery Department is on the floor with the Tailor-made suits and ladies' cloaks, and ladies' and children's underwear. We are proud of this floor and we are glad to have you visit it, and ask to see the shipment of new and dainty waists we have just received. The tailored net waist with the new style sleeve, silk lined at $3.50 and all those pretty silk waists from $3.39 to $5.00, also white Madras waists with linen collars and tight fitting sleeve, the new things just out of the band box, the young lady in that Department wants to show them to you, as to the price and style I will stand for that. Come to see us and let us serve you as we have others at

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BRYAN'S VOTE IN OHIO

He Will Carry Taft's Own State. Three Elements Which Will Defeat the Republican Candidate There—The Negro Vote.

(Philadelphia Press.)

Columbus, O., Oct. 25.—It's really too bad for the Republicans that Mr. Bryan has a cinch on his own State and that Mr. Taft will lose his. I do not think that there is a question of this. I find that three elements that win political victories are on the side of the Democratic candidate, viz., the labor vote, the German vote and the dissatisfied among the colored men. I do not think it possible for Mr. Taft to overcome the labor vote in this State, the German vote and the disaffection among the colored voters.

This is a great labor State, and labor elements pull a heavy vote. Seventy per cent, of this vote is for Bryan and 10 per cent. for Debs, especially in all of the cities and the labor centers. The agricultural vote in the Western Reserve is not near as largely Republican as it has been, and you would be surprised to know that in that section of the State there is considerable sentiment favorable to Mr. Bryan's proposition as to a guarantee of bank deposits.

In Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton and other large labor strongholds, Mr. Bryan is largely the favorite. I shall say, as I have been repeating it all through the West, that at least 75 per cent., if not more, will go for the Democratic candidate. He is, to my surprise, stronger in the State than Judge Harmon, the Democratic candidate for Governor.

It would not surprise me in the least if Mr. Bryan received 40,000 more votes than Harmon, and the election of Harmon is conceded. Under these circumstances how can Bryan lose the electoral vote of the State?

In 1896 and 1900 the Germans in Ohio were not only against Mr. Bryan by nearly two-thirds, but also were the workinmen, or what might be termed the labor votes. Now this is entirely reversel, and the Union Federation of Labor vote in Ohio is perhaps larged than in any of the Western States, and is nearly solid for Bryan. This is why Bryan will lead Harmon in the result.

Here, as in Indiana and Illinois and other Western States east of the Missouri, the liquor question plays a conspicuous part. It is generally admitted that the country counties and towns will go largely against the saloon element. This is approximated as perhaps as high as 130,000. On the other hand, the cities can be depended upon to cast as many votes, if not more, adversely. It must be remembered, however that Mr. Bryan is not going to be hurt much by the anti-whiskey element. Indeed, that element has a kindly feeling towards him, as he is known to be an abstemious man and never indulged in intoxicants.

The greatest point that the conservative and independent citizen has here is that he recognizes the fact that the national Republican ticket is machine-made, as well as the State Republican ticket. As an example, Boss Cox, of Cincinnati, got the Treasurer; Boss Gilbert, of Columbus, the Auditor, and Boss Brown, of Toledo, the Attorney General. These three State officials, the Treasurer, the Auditor and the Attorney General, composed the Tax Revision Board of the State. They have large authority in assessing many corporations. Many Republicans openly assert they will not vote for the three nominees, because they do not want thelaw-making put into the hands of Cox, Gilbert and Brown.

Mr. Harmon is making much of this issue. Persons there are who believe it is strong enough to elect him Governor. He alleges that the Republicans have been remiss in handling the State's money. His speeches are making an impression on the farmers, who from the start have not liked the boss made Republican national or State tickets.

Aside from any issues, Mr. Harmon appeals to the best citizenship of the State. Business men regard him as a conservative, save, sane man, who would, if elected Governor, give the people a business administration. The non-partisan view is that he will get many votes on this score. The nomination of such a man unquestionably helped Bryan in this State.

Senator Foraker has always been idolized by the rank and file of the Republican party of Ohio. The persistent attacks made upon him by the President, even before the Hearst letter was made public, incensed a great many Republicans in the State. They got so mad over the doings of the "big stick" at Washington that when the Hearst exposure came it had little effect upon them.

Thousands of the true and loyal followers of Foraker feel hurt, and believe that he has been unjustly injured and do not believe that he has committed any crime that should drive him out of the party that he has so long and loyally upheld. This class of Republicans will either refrain from voting at all or else vote for Bryan. There is no doubt about this, as it is the general sentiment expressed here among Foraker's followers.

As for the colored vote, which is quite large in Ohio, all of my information is to the effect that Taft will not receive 20 per cent. The indications now are that 40 per cent. of this vote will go for Bryan, and 40 per cent. will refuse to vote the national Republican ticket. They have in circulation among the colored voters of Ohio several hundred thousand badges. One of these badges has a photograph of Senator Foraker, with the motto, "Remember Foraker, and Brownsville," and another bears a group of the discharged soldiers, with the words "Remember Brownsville."

The anti-Taft colored men here in Ohio have an extensive and efficient organization, extending all over the States where the colored vote counts. I visited their headquarters today and they make wonderful claims so far as what they are going to do in Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. If they accomplish, or rather, if we discount these claims 50 per cent. it will be quite sufficient to jeopardize these three States for Taft, not to mention anything else.

While here I have talked to Chairman Finley, of the Democratic State Committee, and a dozen other influential managers and men of information in the party. Not one of these gentlemen expressed a doubt as to the result next Tuesday week. They claim that Bryan would certainly carry the State and Harmon would be elected Governor and the Legislature would be Democratic.

ONE NIGHT RIDER CONFESSED

Tells Story of Tennessee Outrage and Implicates Forty.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Tiptonville, Tenn., Oct. 27.—"Ted" Burton self confessed night rider, told a remarkable story today of night rider depredations near Reelfoot Lake confessing the part he played in the outrages which reached a culmination in the putting to death of Captain Quinten Rankin an attorney of Trenton, Tenn., on the banks of Lake Reelfoot a week ago and implicating men prominent in this part of the State.

Of the persons who he declares had a part in the killing of Captain Rankin more than half are now in custody at Cape Nemo, the military base near Samburg. The confession was made at the Tiptonville jail to Sheriff Haines, Judge Harris, owner of a large tract of land in the Reelfoot Lake region, who has suffered much at the hands of the raiders and Mayor Cleveland Donelson, of Tiptonville.

The confession was made freely and volantarily and apparently without a qualm of conscience he glibly unfolded his story.

While Burton denies that he was present when Captain Rankin was put to death, he admits that it was through information given by him that the band congregated and took the attorney while he was staying at the hotel at Walnut Log. According to Burton's confession Tom and Garrel Johnson, under arrest and William Watson, under bond in connection with another raid were the leaders of the band.

In his confession Burton gave the names of no fewer than forty alleged members of the night riders.

Burton declares that the first part he played as a member of the night rider band was when he aided in the burning of a fish wharf at Samburg. Several weeks later he was one of several that crossed the county line from the Reelfoot Lake region into the adjoining county of Lake and whipped Justice of the Peace Winn, an aged man.

Camp Nemo, Reelfoot Lake, Tenn., Oct 27.—The return to camp today of Governor Patterson, accompanied by Assistant Adjutant General Harvey Alexander the capture of ten additional prisoners and the return of Captain Rogan from an expedition covering the entire Reelfoot Lake section were the principal events here today. Governor Patterson came in this afternoon and soon afterwards had a long conference with Colonel Tatom and looked over evidence developed from examination of prisoner in camp. Nothing definite has been given out by Governor Patterson as to his plans, but it is rumored he will make another sifting of prisoners and that the most important ones will be sent to Union City to appear before the grand jury. Two posses went out of camp today returning with their prisoners about dusk.

VIRGINIA MERCHANT MURDERED

Prominent Citizen of Holland, Va., is Shot From Ambush.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

oNrfolk, Va., Oct. 27.—T. G. Jones, aged 50 years, a prominent merchant of Holland, Va., was shot from ambush in his own yard following his return from Suffolk late last night and died today of gunshot wounds of the chest and abdomen and pistol wounds in the mouth and face. Sheriff Baker has arrived in Holland with bloodhounds in an effort to run down the unknown assassins. There is no clue. Jones was to have given testimony in a contested will case November 5th.

Bloodhounds from Suffolk were unsuccessful in an effort to run down the assailants of Jones and the dogs were taken off. Feeling runs high against the unknown assassins.

MULLINS' SECOND FIRE.

Tobacco Warehouses and Sales Stable Burned Out Last Night.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 27.—Mullins, a thriving town in the tidewater section of South Carolina, which was visited by a fire which destroyed tobacco there yesterday to the extent of $400,000 was again visited by fire today which resulted in an additional loss of $30,000.

A tobacco warehouse belonging to W. C. Scott, valued at approximately $25,000 with insurance of $16,000 was wiped out. A sales stable was also destroyed, which loss was covered by insurance.

EXPOSITION LITIGATION

Judge Waddill Extends Time For Removal of Buildings.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 27.—An order was today entered by Judge Waddill in the Jamestown Exposition litigation extending for ninety days from November 1st, the time in which States owning buildings on the Jamestown grounds may have to take up the option contracts for the purchase of the sites upon which these buildings stand and giving the States 90 days from January 29th in which to remove their buildings from the sites if it is not desired to buy them.

Your Surplus Funds

If deposited with The People's Savings Bank will Net you 4 per cent. per annum, Compounded Quarterly. Have you tried to figure out what you are losing by not placing your money where it will be earning interest.

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Seats for "His Honor The Mayor" On Sale Tomorrow. **

WARM WIRELETS.

Developing a leak the three masted schooner Rebecca J. Moulton, loaded with coal for a Southern port, returned to Norfolk for repairs.

Directors of the United States Steel Corporation have declared a quarterly dividen of 1-2 of 1 per cent. on the common stock and 1 3-4 per cent. on the preferred stock. These are unchanged from the last previous quarter.

The dispersal sale of Colonel Milton Young's "McGrathiana stud" the second largest thoroughbred establishment in the world, comprising 500 stallions, mares and weanlings, began at Lexington, Ky., yesterday. The sale will continue three days.

Russell Ingalls Dickinson, of Prophetstown, Ill., died in Roanoke, Va., aged 86 years. He was a prominent lawyer and had amassed a vast fortune. He was prominent in the councils of the Congregational church and had given large sums to its upbuilding.

Billy Hales, a well known young man, was shot and killed last night at Union, near Eutaw, Ala., by Dave Means, a negro. Hales was trying to arrest the negro when the latter shot him. Means escaped and a posse is assisting the sheriff to locate him.

Union county, S. C., again voted for prohibition yesterday by about 300 majority out of 1,500 votes cast. During the past three years of prohibition the arrests for drunkenness have decreased 50 per cent., and property valuations in the county are said to have increased $2,000,000.

Thomas Darley, eldest son of Rev. T. W. Darley, died at Wrightsville, Ga., yesterday from a wound in the right temple sustained by the accidental discharge Monday of a gun with which he was playing. The accident occurred at the residence of Hon. R. J. Rowland, with whose boys young Darley was playing.

Election of officers was the principal business transacted at yesterday's sessions of the 35th annual convention of the W. C. T. U. at Denver, Colo. Mrs. Lillian M. Stevens, of Portland, Me., was unanimously reelected president. Mrs. Frances P. Parks, of West Virginia, was elected corresponding secretary and Mrs. S. P. Hutchison, of Kansas, was chosen treasurer. All other officers were re-elected.

The 308 passengers who arrived in New York yesterday on the steamer Furnessia, from Glasgow, spent 13 anxious hours at sea last Wednesday while the vessel floundered helplessly, the sport of a 90-mile gale. The misadventure was due to an accident in the engine room, a cross head having slipped out of place, necessitating an abrupt silencing of the machinery.

The itinerary of the first trip of President Roosevelt's Farmers' Uplift Commission, was announced yesterday at Ithaca, N. Y., by Chairman Liberty Hyde Bailey, who has been planning for the investigation of farmers' life in this country. The commission will hold its first hearing at the Agricultural College of Maryland on November 6th. The party will then go South and the next ten days will be spent on hearings in the States south of Washington and east of the Mississippi river.

CONFIDENT OF VICTORY.

A Dispatch From Chairman Mack—Full Democratic Vote Urged.

(Special to the Star.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 26.—The following telegram was received at Democratic Headquarters here this afternoon:

"A. H. Eller, Chairman Democratic State Committee, Raleigh, N. C.

"We are confident that Bryan will win in the Electoral College. I am wiring to urge you to call upon the voters of your State to be active and to appeal to those in strong Democratic sections to bring out the full Democratic vote so that a big majority of the popular vote will be cast for Bryan and Kern. A large majority of the popular vote will be cast for Bryan and Kern. A large majority of the popular vote will help to secure the reform legislation to which our party is committed. A big majority in your State will help the Democratic party everywhere. Please leave no effort untried to get out the full Democratic vote in your State. Appeal to the Democratic papers which have done so much in this campaign to aid in this work. NOMAN E. MACK."

BABY'S ITCH EASILY CURED

Infantile Eczema Quickly Relieved by External Use of Oil of Wintergreen Compound.

Infantile eczema, which has baffled the skil of the best physicians for so many years at last seems to be curable—and curable with great ease.

Results of the last two years indicate conclusively that baby's itch, infantile eczema and other skin diseases of children can be very simply cured by the application of a compound composed of oil of wintergreen, thymol and glycerine, as in D. D. D. Prescription.

The Rev. Lewis Steeley, of Weatherly, Pa., writes:

"Our baby boy's little face was so dreadfully covered with eczema that blood and water ran from the sores nearly all the time. After using 3 1-2 bottles of D. D. D. Prescription we are so happy to tell you he is entirely cured and the disease has never broken out again. If this letter is in any way a help to other sufferers, you may publish it."

If you have a child which is suffering with this terrible itch, we are sure you will not neglect one hour to give your baby the right kind of relief. We have seen too often how quickly the remedy mentioned above takes the itch away at once and how all the cures seem to be permanent; we have seen this too often to hesitate at all in recommending the remedy for your children. Robert R. Bellamy, druggist.

Malaria Makes Pale Blood.

The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

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YIELDS TO THE POPULAR DEMAND

Unable to Resist The Pressure That Was Brought to Bear.

NEW SITE IS SELECTED

Determined Efforts of Residents to Secure Dillingham's Free Show in Their Neighborhood are Successful.

The influence brought to bear upon Mr. Alva A. Mills, Col. Frank A. Dillingham's local representative in an effort to induce him to give the Plant Juice entertainments in another part of the city, has been more than that gentleman could resist and the performance will be given at a new location tonight. When it was moved from Fourth and Castle streets several weeks ago there was a loud wail from residents of that vicinity, and their organized efforts to secure its return has resulted Mr. Mills announcing that the performance will be given tonight on Fourth, between Church and Castle streets.

There has never been an entertainment of this character given in Wilmington that has met with such marked approval as Col. Dillingham's Plant Juice lectures and performance, nor was there ever a proprietary medicine introduced in this section that could approach the popularity that Plant Juice has won since its introduction here. Residents of all parts of this section are writing to Col. Dillingham asking for information concerning the Plant Juice remedies, and to know if they can be bought by mail. The powers and merit of Plant Juice are best shown by pointing to those cases of long standing disease that have been cured by Plant Juice in Wilmington, the details of which are set forth by the persons benefitted in affidavits, signed statements, or some manner that removes all question or doubt as to the cause of the relief. Plant Juice can be ordered by mail by sending a letter addressed to Col. F. A. Dillingham, P. O. Box 345, or from R. R. Bellamy, the J. Hicks Bunting Drug Company, or any other druggist in Wilmington, all of whom carry the Plant Juice remedies in stock and give prompt attention to orders received by mail. It is sold at $1 per bottle, three bottles for $2.50, six bottles for $5; orders in the last two quantities being sent with the express charges prepaid. Plant Juice Liniment can be ordered in the same manner and is sold at 25c per bottle.

Whether sold in person or by mail, every bottle of the Plant Juice remedies goes out with a guarantee that it will accomplish all that is claimed for it. All that Col. Dillingham asks is that it be given an honest trial of one week, and if it does not do that which it is clamed it will do, the purchasers money will be refunded upon return of the carton and unused portion of the medicine.

Captain Chisholm, of the steamer Georgetown, Atlantic Coast Lumber comporation, en route from Georgetown, S. C., to New York via Norfolk reports the sighting of an unknown submerged vessel seventeen miles south of Frying Pan shoals lightship North Carolina. The three masts protrude. The name of the vessel is not known. The wreck being in the path of navigation, a revenue cutter will be sent to the vessel.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to your Place of Business or Residence for Advertisements for our Business Locals Department. 'Phone the Star office, No. 51.

Rates—25 cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word in advance.

The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for Notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charges for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for Advertisements always call the Star office, 'Phone 51.

FOR SALE—Daniel F. Beatty organ in good condition for less than half price, 120 Nun street. oct 28-2t-we-su

HALLOWE'EN PARTY—Will be given at St. James' Parish House from 5 until 10 o'clock Friday, October 30th. All the children and their friends are most cordially invited to come and join in the mysteries of the night. Admission 5 cents. oc 28-3t.

B. M. LEHUE'S INDEPENDENT Barber Shop. Shaving 10 cents; witch hazel steam 10 cents; hair cutting 15 cents; shampoo 15 cents; singes 15 cents, massage hand or electric, 15 cents. Best service guaranteed, 114 Princess St. oc 28-1w

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

FOR RENT—Store and warehouse 108 North Water street, at present occupied by J. S. Funchess & Co. Possession given October 1st. Apply to Morris Bear & Bros. au 5-su-we-fri-tf.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, NOTARY PUBLIC—Expert work of any kind, anywhere, any time. Court reporting, depositions, medical papers. Notarial work. Meares Harriss 114 Princess street. Phone 708; residence phone 546. sep 2-eod

MOTHER'S JOY for children and Goose Greese Liniment for old folks. oct 11 tf

ONE CAR LOAD select Florida oranges and grape fruit. See D. M. Gregg, or 'phone 1200. oct 26-3t

FOR RENT—Residence No. 703 North Third street, with all modern improvements. Apply to Martin O'Brien, No. 512 North Third street. oct 26-2t*

WANTED—Three or four rooms with modern conveniences in desirable locality for light housekeeping. Address "M. G." care of Star. oc 26-1

LET THE CAROLINA UPHOLSTERING CO. repair, revarnish, and upholster your furniture. No. 136 Market street or 'phone 1465. oct 25 1w*

FOR RENT—Three rooms first floor, convenient for light housekeeping. Possession given November 1st. Apply at 216 South Second street. oct 25 6t

THE GILBERT HOUSE—Combines home comforts with hotel conveniences. Front and Princess streets; junction of all cars. Cars to depot. Steam heat, electric light and hot water. Table equals the best and rates reasonable. Transient $1.25 to $1.50 per day. Rates to regular and table boarders. oct 25 tf

SATURDAY NOV. 7TH IS THE day the Rural Building and Loan Association will open the 9th series. This association is managed by the following well known business men of this city. Messrs. Oscar Pearsall, C. C. Chadbourn, B. O. Stone, Marcus Jacobi, A. G. Warren, Oscar Wright, J. Holmes Davis, M. Shrier, J. A. McGeachy, L. M. LeGwin, D. H. Penton, Alex McEachern, R. W. Price, Roger Moore, and M. Bellamy, Jr. Any information will be cheerfully given by any of the above named gentlemen, or by Secretary and Treasurer James Owen Reilly. Office 110 Princess street. You can subscribe for shares now. oct22 tf.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND machinery, boilers, engines, pulleys, shafting, etc., bought sold and exchanged. Write us. Machinery Exchange, Fayeteville, N. C. oct 7-1m

BOARDING—Permanent and Transient. Best location in city. Meals to suit the business men. Strictly up to date. Harnett House, 110 Princess St. Hot and cold baths. Phone No. 713. sep 22-tf

WILL HAVE on hand this week, fine tomatoes, lettuce, celery, horseradish and home raised radish. Full line of fruit and vegetables. Tokay and Malaga grapes. Farm and garden seed. Flower bulbs for house and garden and flower pots to grow them in. W. J. Kirkham & Co., 104 South Front street. se 23-1m

NOTICE—Reduction of price, milk for cash. Beginning Monday, Sept. 7th we will sell milk tickets for cash at the rate of 10 cents per quart. Milk monthly or tickets to be charged 12 1-2 cents per quart. Shadeland Dairy Co., depot corner of Eighth and Princess streets. 'Phone 468. sep 6 tf

OFFICES FOR RENT—In the Garrell Building, southwest corner Princess and Second streets. Splendid location, steam heat, electric and gas lights and elevator. Call at building or on Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street. jy 9-tf

FOR RENT—Three-story store, No. 203 Princess street. Building has freight elevator; rooms over No. 15 North Second street. Smith & Lord, 'phone 766, No. 114 Princess street. oct 9 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS—What's better or cheaper for Christmas presents than the new style, fadeless photograph. U. C. Ellis Studio. oct 22-tf

MOTHER'S JOY is the best thing made for pneumonia. oct 11 tf

LUMBER AT RETAIL—Grades and prices right. See us before buying. Angola Lumber Co. aug 30 tf

—FOR SALE—Two corner pieces of property on Market street; one 66x150, the other 30x150; also place on Fifth street 66x165. Smith & Lord, Real Estate and Insurance, 114 Princess street. 'Phone 766. oct 18 tf

EXPERT ACCOUNTING — Books examined and corrected. Single entry changed to double entry, co-partnership to corporation. For terms address "Accountant," Box 296. sep 23 tu thu sun 1m

SOUTHERN SIGN SHOPS—Larger quarters. Owing to our increasing business we are forced to move to larger rooms, just across the street (Princess) entrance through Smith Building. We have also employed extra help. 'Phone is 776. Only exclusively sign painting shop in town and the best equipped studio South of New York. oct 11 tf

FOR SALE—One of the prettiest locations for a dwelling in the city. Smith & Lord, 'phone 766, No. 114 Princess street. oct 9 tf

MOTHERS, WHY is it you will let your babies suffer with colds when you can get a box of Mother's Joy and cure them in one night. oct 11 tf

ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY,
Office of the Treasurer,
Wilmington, N. C., Oct 19, 1908.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared two per cent. interest on the Certificates of Indebtedness of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on and after November 1st, 1908. The transfer books are closed from the 12th day of October, 1908, to the 2nd day of November, 1908, both dates inclusive.

JAMES F. POST,
Treasurer.

oct 23 to no 1

Men's Fashion Shop

Novelties in Cluett Coat Shirts, pleated bosom, Venetian stripes $1.50

New line of Neckwear, imported Silks, Four-in-Hands and Bat wings.

Your Suit never fits unless

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Next to Elks' Temple, North Front street.

oct 9 tf

COAL Heaters. WOOD Heaters. OIL Heaters.

35 STYLES and Sizes 35

TO SELECT FROM.

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HARDWARE.

oct 4-tf.

THE SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK OF WILMINGTON, WITH A CAPITAL OF TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS AND SURPLUS OF ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND, HAS ACQUIRED ASSETS OF MORE THAN TWO MILLION DOLLARS IN THREE YEARS—Which is the record for the South.

oct 17 tf

WHERE IS THE MONEY

You Have Worked For In the Past?

Have'nt you spent a good part of it foolishly? Isn't it the best policy to put a little aside each payday? You would hardly feel the difference, and when the day of reckoning arrives you could put your hand on a NICE LITTLE PILE. Cultivate the habit of depositing regularly in our bank. It is the HABIT THAT COUNTS. We give you 4 per cent interest besides compounded quarterly.

Atlantic Trust & Banking Co

MATT J. HEYER, President.
MILTON CALDER, Cashier.
Southern Bldg. Opp. Postoffice.
oct 21 tf

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Winston Jurnal: "Mr. Taft's route through North Carolina was lined with cotton and funiture factories that have been idle for twelve months under the highest protective laws ever in force in any country on the fact of the earth.

—Greensboro Telegram: Mr. W. A. Scott, Deputy Fire Insurance Commissioner for the State, has for a week been making Greensboro headquarters going out from here to towns in this section to inquire how the building inspectors are doing their work. Yesterday afternoon he was at Burling and Graham. Day before yesterday he was in Winston.

—Baltimore Sun: Edward R. Dellinger, of Washington county, has a spyglass that once belonged to General Robert E. Lee. General Lee lost it while crossing the Potomac at Williamsport with his troops. It was found shortly afterward, with some other things, in a box floating down the river. It is in first-class condition, and Mr. Dellinger prizes it highly.

—Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 24.—An organization which promises to prove a most important factor in the upbuilding of the textile industry in the Southern States was formally launched this evening under auspicious circumstances. Overseers, superintendents, mill engineers and others interested in the practical operations of the cotton mill completed the organization of the "Southern Textile Association" this evening, after two days spent in hearing addresses.

—Winston-Salem Journal: Charlotte, the greatest building and loan city in the entire country, has organized still another association with a capital stock of $500,000. Thanks to the building and loan plan and the extent to which it has been worked in Charlotte, that city probably has a larger proportion of home-owning citizens than any city of like size in the country, and this means also that its standard of living and citizenship is high in like degree.

—Asheboro Courier: A new gold find near Eldorado, in Montgomery county, is causing considerable excitement among the prospectors in this section. The vein has been located on the property of the widow Davis, near Eldorado, by Whit B. Lassiter. In writing to a friend about the prospect Mr. Lassiter says: "I have sunk a pit on the property about 18 feet deep and in all of my experience I have never found such a body of rich ore. This ore will assay anywhere from $25 to $500 a ton and a lot of the ore full of free gold can be seen with the eye. Property is secured and development has begun."

—Newbern Journal: Upon the evidence of postoffice inspector, S. H. Buck, Levi Wharton, former postmaster at Ashwood, Pamlico county was arrested and brought to this city charged with stealing and embezzling from the mail, a valuable letter. United States Commissioner Hill, who finding probable cause bound the defendant over in the sum of $200 for appearance at the next term of the United States district court to meet in this city. It was learned that the stolen letter contained a check or draft for forty dollars or more, which Wharton indorsed and collected. He was removed from his office about this time for some discrepancies, and the theft was eventually traced to him by the authorities.

—Charlotte Observer: That industrial conditions are improving is evidenced by the statement made last Wednesday in Cincinnati, O., by President W. W. Finley, of the Southern Railway. Said he: "The Southern will in the near future place rail and new equipment orders that will probably exceed expectations. Business conditions are improving, though perhaps more slowly than hoped for, but there is every reason to believe normal conditions will be resumed. It seems but natural that after so extended a period of depression the reversal should come, and when it does there will be a season of unprecedented prosperity. When the election has passed, business will improve, and all our institutions will participate in the prosperity."

—New York, Oct. 24.—In connection with the reorganization plan of the Norfolk and Southern it is reported that negotiations are pending for the sale of the John L. Roper Lumber Company, now owned by the Norfolk and Southern, to other strang interests controlling large lumber tracts in the South. Officials of the Norfolk and Southern deny that any deal of this nature has been entered into, but in well informed quarters it is asserted that the matter, which is favored by large stockholders, will be taken up in the near future. The John L. Roper Lumber Company owns 600,000 acres of timber lands in Virginia and North Carolina and has timber rights of 200,000 additional acres, the whole property, it is estimated, containing four billion feet of timber.

Why James Lee Got Well.

Everybody in Zanesville, O., knows Mrs. Mary Lee, of rural route 8. She writes: "My husband, James Lee, firmly believes he owes his life to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery. His lungs were so severely affected that consumption seemed inevitable, when a friend recommended New Discovery. We tried it, and its use has restored him to perfect health." Dr. King's New Discovery is the King of throat and lung remedies. For coughs and colds it has no equal. The first dose gives relief. Try it! Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Attend the great Autumn Sale now going on at Rehder's. **

The Stranger Girl.

[Original.]

A young girl not over seventeen years old entered a Russian village and inquired for conveyance to the nearest railway station. There was in her face none of that free from care look natural to girls of her age, but a serious, resolute expression as though she were intent upon some great purpose. She had no baggage except a leather traveling bag, which was noticeable, for she was not of the peasant class, who are often too poor to have any clothes except those on their backs, but one of an intermediate people between peasant and noble.

It happened that there had been a wedding in the village, and the groom was about to take his bride to his farm some versts away. The journey lay in the direction of the railway, and it was agreed that the stranger girl should be permitted to accompany the bridal party and be driven on beyond the groom's farm to the station. Several friends of the young couple were going to see the bridal couple to their new home. Just as they were about to start a man entered the sledge without an invitation. The groom objected, whereupon the man showed the badge of a government official, which silenced any further refusal.

It was in the springtime, but the snow had not yet melted. The air was cold and penetrating, and the travelers were all wrapped in fur robes. But they were a gay party, cracking their jokes and chaffing the newly married couple. Only two persons sat mute—the government official and the stranger girl—though their rigid demeanor had no effect in dampening the spirits of the others. But presently, on coming to a wild tract that they were obliged to cross, they suddenly ceased their merriment. From the forest came a sound muffled by distance, but none the less terrible—a sound known only too well to the occupants of the sledge as the distant baying of wolves. The horses threw up their heads in fright, then set off at a gallop. The groom reached down under the seat and, not finding what he looked for, turned pale.

"The arms!" he exclaimed. "Where are they?"

He looked at his young men friends successively. None had put in the weapons. Each had expected some one else to do so. They had been left behind.

Presently from the right and rear a dark mass came through the trees like black water pouring in before a rising tide. There it joined on the road and became a pack of wolves. There was but one weapon in the party, and that belonged to the government official. It was a revolver with six shots in its chambers. Its possession could not be considered a chance—it was hardly even a hope. Its owner drew it, cocked it and when the wolves came within range fired at the leader and rolled him over. A few of the pack pounced upon the dead wolf, while the rest came on. The official fired the six shots at intervals, with each shot killing a wolf, and when he had done this he had finished his defense. The party were at the mercy of the wolves. Though the horses were tearing along at frantic speed, the wolves were drawing nearer every moment. When they had come to a distance of about fifty feet the stranger girl rose from her seat, opened her satchel, took out a steel ball the size of an orange and, poising it in her right hand, said:

"I give my life to save yours. This man," referring to the government official, "will see that I disappear from the world. The stroke I intended for a tyrant heaven wills shall go only to a pack of wolves."

She threw the ball deliberately, and it came down near the center of the pack. There was a flash, an explosion, and where the wolves had been was a vacant spot around which carcasses and bits of carcasses were spread on the snow as if buttered with a huge knife. A few lay moaning in agony, while a few more limped or dragged themselves away.

The party had been saved.

All turned to the stranger girl, the bride and her girl companions throwing their arms about her, the men seizing her hands and covering them with kisses. Then, when they had given full expression to their gratitude, they turned to the government official, who sat mute.

"What is your intention with regard to our preserver?" asked the groom.

"She is my prisoner."

"Inform on her at your peril!"

"If I don't inform on her I will be at a peril equal to any you can inflict. She was reported as being in correspondence with revolutionists at the capital. I was sent by the minister of the interior to shadow her. If I fail to report her I will be arrested, taken to St. Petersburg and executed."

"Friends," said the groom, "this girl has given us our lives by killing a pack of wolves. Is it not our duty to give her hers by killing this man whose life means her death?"

"It is," responded every voice.

It was determined to bind the man to a tree and leave him to the wolves, but the stranger girl would not consent. Then upon consultation it was decided that after leaving the others at their destination the men of the party should take the revolutionist beyond the border. They consented to spare the life of the official on his agreement to go with them, never to return. He gladly accepted the terms, and after reaching the farm and an impressive farewell to the stranger girl the sledge was whisked away on its new course. The party reached the border and passed it in safety.

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Miss Mattie Nunally, Richmond, Va.

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Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

Get a bottle today.

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Miss Mattie Nunnally, No. 820 Riverside Street, Richmond, Va., writes one of the many unsolicited letters we have in our office from grateful people who are being cured by Andes' Great Prescription.

When Mr. Andes came to Richmond, I went to see him and to know if his Great Prescription would benefit me. I have been a stenographer and type-writer for the past four years, working from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. every day. I began to lose flesh, did not have any appetite and if I did eat much it hurt my stomach, often would have dizzy spells, a bad taste in my mouth and a coated tongue. I bought one bottle of your Andes' Great Prescription. It did me good. Have since used three more, and can say that it has restored me to my former health.

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We extend to you a most cordial invitation to call and inspect the "Nifty" models. in Suits, Overcoats and Rain Coats at a price ranging from $15.00 to $27.50.

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Announcement

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Now open for business and prepared to serve the public.

'Phone 534. Quick Delivery.

oct 26-1w.

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect Sept. 7, 1908.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed

NORTHBOUND.

		48.	No. 42.
Lv.	Wilmington ..	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar.	Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 p.
Ar	Wilson	1:00 m	10:52 p
Ar.	Rocky Mount...	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar.	Weldon.....	4:55 pm	2:36 pm
Ar	Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar.	Petersburg....	7:00 pm	4:30 am
Ar.	Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar.	Washington....	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar.	Baltimore.....	1:41 am	10:00 am
Ar.	Philadelphia...	4:21 am	12:18 pm
Ar.	New York.....	7:23 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

		No. 41.	No. 43.
Lv	New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar	Philadelphia ...	11:27 am	12:15 am
Ar	Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar	Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv	Norfolk		8:35 am
Lv	Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar	Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar	Weldon.....	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar	Rocky Mount ..	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar	Wilson.....	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar	Goldsboro.....	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar.	Wilmington ...	9:25 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

		Daily.	Daily.	Daily
Lv.	Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:30 pm	7:00 pm
Ar.	Flor..	9:05 am	7:20 pm	4:30 am
Ar	Col'bia	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar.	Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar.	Sa'n..	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar.	Jk'ville		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar.	Tampa		6:25 pm	12:15 am

NORTHBOUND.

		Daily.	Daily.
Lv.	Tampa.....	8:55 pm	7:00 am
Lv.	Jacksonville...	8:55 am	7:45 pm
Ar.	Savannah.....	1:05 pm	11:59 pm
Lv.	Charleston.....	5:30 pm	5:20 am
Lv.	Columbia.....	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar.	Florence	7:15 pm	2:55 am
Ar.	Wilmington....	12:25 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

		Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv.	Wilmington..	8:40 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv.	Fayetteville.	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar.	Sanford.....	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

		Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv.	Wilmington..	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar.	Newbern ...	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.

Trains No. 65 and 50 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.

Seaboard Air Line Railway.

Schedule effective September 13th, 1908. Subject to change without notice.

Direct and shortest line to the principal cities, South and Southwest, also connects at Hamlet with Vestibule Trains North.

Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

TRAINS ARRIVE AT WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS.

No. 44 at 12:35 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local stations.

No. 40 arrives 12:20 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS.

		No. 45	No. 39.
Lv.	Wilm't'n...	4:45 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar.	Lumb't'n...	7.21 A. M.	5:43 P. M.
Ar.	Maxton....	8:02 A. M.	6:35 P. M.
Ar.	Hamlet....	8:45 A. M.	7:30 P. M.
Lv.	Hamlet....	9:10 A. M.	8:25 P. M.
Ar.	Monroe....	10:50 A. M.	10:25 P. M.
Ar.	Ch'lotte....	11:35 A. M.	11:30 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points North.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time-tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent, or Call Phone No. 1294.

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ju 4-tf.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect, Saturday, October 10, 1908.

TO

THE BEACH

FROM WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30:, 7:00, 8:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00 8:30 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE

FROM WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON

FROM WRIGHTSVILLE

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:20, 7:25, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 5:25, 6:25, 7:55, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 I. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 9:55, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:55, 7:55, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

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FROM

THE BEACH

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 7:15, 7:45, 9:15, 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15, 7:45, 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 9:45, 10:45 A. M. 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15, 6:45, 7:45, 9:15 P. M.

TO GOLF LINKS AND DELGADO

FROM WILMINGTON

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, *2:25, 3:00, *3:45, 4:30 *5:05, 6:00, *6:05, 7:00, *7:05, 8:30, *9:05, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at *8:25, 8:30, *9:05, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., *12:05, 1:00, *1:25, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON

FROM

GOLF LINKS AND DELGADO

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:35, 7:40, 8:10, 8:40, 9:40, 11:10 A. M., 12:40, 2:10, *2:35, *3:55, 4:10, *5:15, 5:40, *6:15, 6:40, *7:15, 8:10, *9:15, 9:40, 10:45, 11:45 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at *8:35, *9:15, 10:10, 11:10 A. M., *12:15, 12:40, *1:35, 2:10, 3:40, 4:10, 4:40, 5:10, 5:40, 6:10, 7:10 8:10, 9:40, 10:45, 11:45 P. M.

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 27.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market, steady 35 3-4c.

ROSIN—Market, steady $2.45 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market, firm $1.90.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $1.60 per barrel for hard, $2.10 for dip and $2.40 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine steady 49 3-4c.; rosin $3.50; tar nothing doing $2.30; crude turpentine $2.75, $4.00 and $4.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 23
Rosin 125
Tar 125
Crude Turpentine 15

Receipts—Same day last year, 44 casks spirits turpentine; 101 barrels rosin; 117 barrels tar; 66 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET

Market—Steady 8 13-16c. for middling.

Same day last year—Steady 10 3-4c.

Receipts—4,512 bales, same day last year 3,004 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina No. 1 hand picks 75c; No. 1 machine picks 70c; extra prime 65c; Virginia—No. 1 65c; extra prime 60c· Spanish 65c.

CORN—Firm, 97 1-2c per bushel for white; 92 1-2@95 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, old 16c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides 12 1-2c.

EGGS—Firm at 25c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm at 20@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 35c to 40c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr.flint, 10; green, dull 6c. per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—New 80 and 90c per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 18c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 27.—The cotton market was firmer today with active months selling back to within one to 6 points of the high records of last week, and closing steady at a net advance of 7 to 11 points. Sales were estimated at 225,000 bales.

The market opened steady with October unchanged, but generally 4 to 6 points higher in response to better cables than expected and rumors that a settlement of the Manchester trouble might result from the meeting of operatives next Saturday. There was considerable realizing and Southern hedge-selling on the initial advance, but offerings were well absorbed and October quickly firmed up with the rest of the list on covering by shorts in spite of rumors that notices would be issued for a considerable amount next Thursday.

The market continued very steady during the afternoon with active months closing only a point or two off from the best. Wall street was not quite so aggressive a buyer as recently, but supported the market on soft spots while the relative firmness in the latter position suggested that the commission houses were re-entering the market in the spring and summer deliveries.

Southern spot markets officially reported were unchanged to 1-8c lower. Local spot brokers reported a less active demand from mills, but stated that there was little change in offers from the interior.

Receipts at the ports today were 90,713 bales, against 104,537 last week and 76,335 last year; for the week 430,000 bales, against 415,369 last week and 343,537 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 18,487 bales, against 14,623 last year and at Houston 40,394 bales against 15,747 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 5 points advance; middling uplands 9.40; middling gulf 9.65. Sales none.

Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
October	9.10	9.19
November	——	8.95
December	8.90	8.95
January	8.76	8.82
February	——	8.77
March	8.71	8.76
April	——	——
May	8.66	8.73
June	——	8.65
July	8.61	8.65
August	8.55	——
September	——	——

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Steady, 9.00; Net receipts 42,124.

New Orleans—Steady, 9.00; Net receipts 18,487.

Mobile—Steady, 8 13-16; Net receipts 2,993.

Savannah—Steady, 8 13-16; Net receipts 14,335.

Charleston—Steady, 8 3-4; Net receipts 2,495.

Wilmington—Quiet, 8 13-16; Net receipts 4,512.

Norfolk—Steady, 9 1-16; Net receipts 5,668.

Baltimore—Nominal, 9 1-4.

New York—Quiet, 9.40.

Boston—Quiet, 9.40; Net receipts 79.

Philadelphia—Steady, 9.65; Net receipts 21.

Total today, at all ports, Net 90,713; Great Britain 45,930; France 4,000; Continent 13,158; Stock 739,915.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net 224,918; Great Britain 54334; France 19,737; Continent 63,285; Japan 200.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net 2,380,652; Great Britain 523,434; France 219,680; Continent 759,373; Japan 1,400.

Carpet and matting laid free—Rehder's. **

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 9.00; Net receipts 40,394.

Augusta—Steady, 9.00; Net receipts 2,353.

Memphis—Steady, 9 1-8; Net receipts 7,011.

St. Louis—Steady, 9 1-8; Net receipts 1,376.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 535.

Louisville—Firm, 9 38.

Little Rock—Steady, 8 5-8; Net receipts 3,243.

Total today—Net receipts 54,912; gross receipts 59,816; shipments 46,499; sales 5,656; stock 351,872.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Oct. 27.—Spot cotton dull, prices two to four points higher. American middling fair 5.48; good middling 5.12; middling 5.00; low middling 4.80; good ordinary 4.29; ordinary 3.89.

The sales of the day were 3,000 bales, of which 200 were for speculation and export and included 2,800 American. Receipts 21,000 bales including 20,400 American.

Futures opened quiet and closed barely steady. October 4.83 1-2; October and November 4.73 1-2; November and December 4.65; December and January 4.64; January and February 4.63 1-2; February and March 4.63 1-2; March and April 4.63 1-2; April and May 4.63 1-2; May and June 4.63; June and July 4.63; July and August 4.61 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 27.—The cotton goods market is stiffening. Bleached good linings, knit goods, yarns and other goods are firmer and tending higher. Buyers of domestic cottons from many of the large western markets are operating. The export markets are doing a fair trade. Oriental rugs are quiet, but domestic rugs are being asked for more freely. The worsted goods market is quiet. Silks are firmer. Raw silk is higher.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 27.—The occurrences of the stock exchange today offer little material force. The characteristic of the market was its great firmness, in spite of its intense dullness. The rate of activity declined at times during the session to the point of idleness. The first hour supplied most of the activity and most of the movement. Some of the buying at that time came from professional traders who had sold stocks short on the assumption that the political demonstrations last night would weaken stocks today. There was no such selling today and the light demand was sufficient to send prices upwards. There was no sign of any large accumulation of stocns but a resolute withholding of offerings for sale was very apparent.

The rise in prices, slight as it was, served to bring the market to the highest point it has touched since the reaction early in September. Prices touched today did not in all cases represent a restoration to the early September level. In some prominent stocks, however, that level was exceeded. Union Pacific, Atchison, Pennsylvania, United States Steel, American Car, Colorado Fuel and Sloss Sheffield Steel are amongst the stocks which have risen to the highest prices of the year on the present movement. Immediate news of the day had little effect on the market. Selling to take profits at the end of the day, although small, was sufficient to reduce the narrow gains except in a few specially strong stocks.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, were $3,984,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks today were 522,400 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 27.—Money on call steady 1 1-4 to 1 1-2 per cent. ruling rate 1 1-2, closing bid 1 1-4, offered at 1 1-2. Time loans very dull and steady, sixty days 2 3-4 to 3, and ninety days 3 to 3 1-4, six months 3 1-2. Prime mercantile paper 4 to 4 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange easy with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8470 to 4.8480 for sixty day bills and at 4.8650 for demand. Commercial bills 4.84 1-4 to 4.84 1-2. Bar silver 51 1-4. Mexican dollars 45.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	103 1-2
U. S. refunding 2s cou	104
U. S. 3s reg	100 1-4
U. S. 3s cou	101
U. S. 4s reg. ex Ins	120 1-4
U. S. 4s cou	122
Amr. Tobacco Co. 6s	109 5-8
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	94 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	99 3-8
L. & N. Unified 4s	99 1-2
Seaboard Air Line	55
Southern Railway 5s	106 3-4
U. S. Steel 5s	103 1-8

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	80 1-2
Amr. Car & Foundry	42 7-8
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd	102 1-2
Amr. oCtton Oil Co.	34 3-4
Amr. Locomotive	49 3-4
Amr. Smelting & Ref.	93 1-2
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	105 3-4
American Sugar Ref.	133
Amr. Tobacco Co. pfd.	93 3-4
Atchison	92 3-8
Atchison pfd	95 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line	92 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio	98
Baltimore & Ohio pfd.	87
Chesapeake & Ohio	42 3-4
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	——
Erie	31 3-4
Erie 1st pfd	44
Erie 2nd pfd	36 1-2
Kansas City Southern	28 1-2
Kan. City Southern pfd	61 1-2
L. & N.	109 1-4
Norfolk & Western	74 1-2
Pennsylvania	126 3-4
People's Gas	96
Reading	133 5-8
Rock Island Co.	19 3-4
Rock Island Co. pfd.	46 1-2
Southern Pacific	108 1-2
Southern Pacific pfd	118
Southern Railway	22 1-8
Southern Railway pfd.	53 1-2
Standard Oil Co.	620
Union Pacific	170 3-8
U. S. Steel	48
U. S. Steel pfd	110 5-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	32 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd.	111
Western Union	59 5-8
Westinghouse Electric Co.	82

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York Oct. 27.—Flour quiet but firm.

Rye Flour—Quiet.

Buckwheat Flour and Rye—Dull.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red 1.09 1-4 elevator. Options 7-8 to 1 1-8c net higher. Dec. 1.10 1-4; May 1.10 7-8.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, old 84, and No. 2 new 77 1-4 elevator. Options 1-8c net higher. Dec. 74 1-4; May 71 3-8.

Oats—Spot steady; mixed 52 to 52 1-2.

Lard—Firm.

Pork and Tallow—Steady.

Rice and Molasses—Quiet.

Sugar—Steady; fair refining 3.56; centrifugal 96 test 4.06; molasses sugar 3.31; refined steady.

Coffee—Spot quiet; Rio No. 7, 6 3-8; Santos No. 4, 8. Mild coffee—Dull; Cordova 9 1-4 to 12 1-2. Futures net unchanged to 5 points higher.

Butter—Firm, unchanged.

Cheese—Unchanged.

Eggs—Firm; State, Pennsylvania and nearby, brown and mixed fancy 32 to 33.

Cotton Seed Oil—More active with higher prices on covering of shorts and speculative buying. Prime crude 30; prime summer yellow 37 1-2 to 38 1-4; off summer yellow 37 3-4 to 38 1-2; good off summer yellow 37 1-4 to 38 1-2; prime white 39 3-4 to 41 1-2; prime winter yellow 43 1-2 to47.

Peanuts and Liverpool Freight—Quiet, unchanged.

Potatoes—Steady, unchanged.

Cabbages—Firm, unchanged.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Oct. 27.—Wheat prices on the local exchange advanced more than 1c today, owing to crop damage reports from Argentina and to a decreased movement in the northwest. At the close prices were up 1 to 1 1-8. Corn, oats and provisions also closed firm.

	Opening.	Highest.	Closing.
Wheat—			
Dec.	1 00	1 00 3-8	1 00 1-4
May	1 03 1-4	1 03 5-8	1 03 5-8
July	97 1-2	98 1-8	98 1-8
Corn—			
Dec.	63 3-4	63 7-8	63 7-8
May	62 7-8	63	63
July	62 1-4	62 1-2	62 1-2
Oats—			
Dec.	47 3-4	48	48
May	49 7-8	50	50
July	45 1-4	45 1-4	45 1-4
Mess Pork, per bbl.—			
Oct.	13 72 1-2	13 75	13 75
Jan.	15 80	16 00	16 00
May	15 75	15 87 1-2	15 87 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.—			
Nov.	9 60	9 72 1-2	9 72 1-2
Jan.	9 42 1-2	9 50	9 50
May	9 47 1-2	9 60	9 50
Short Robs, per 100 lbs.—			
Oct.	8 62 1-2	8 62 1-2	8 62 1-2
Jan.	8 42 1-2	8 50	8 50
May	8 57 1-2	8 60	8 60

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady; No. 3 spring wheat 93 to 1.03; No. 2 red 99 1-8 to 1.00 1-4; No. 2 corn 67 1-2 to 70; No. 2 yellow 70 to 76; oats, No. 3 white 45 1-2 to 50; No. 2 rye 74 to 75; good feeding barley 52 to 53; fair to choice malting 55 to 60; No. 1 northwestern 128; short Ribs, sides (loose) 8.25 to 8.87 1-2; mess pork per bbl. 13.70 to 13.87 1-2; lard, per 100 lbs. 9.72 1-2 to 9.75; short clear sides (boxed) 9.25 to 9.50; whiskey, basis of high wines 1.37.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 27.—Rosin and turpentine steady.

Charleston, Oct. 27.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

Savannah, Oct. 27.—Turpentine steady 36 3-4; sales 383; receipts 1,112; shipments 53. Rosin firm; sales 2,633; receipts 4,442; shipments 465; stock 134,170. Quote: B, 2.75; D, 2.75; E, 2.75; F, 2.75 to 2.82 1-2; G, 2.75 to 2.85; H, 3.50 to 3.55; I, 3.90 to 4.00; K, 4.75; M, 5.25; N, 5.85; WG, 6.30; WW, 6.35.

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C. C. Railroad—155 bales cotton, 8 barrels tar, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—372 bales cotton, 25 barrels tar, 2 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—3,803 bales cotton, 20 casks spirits turpentine, 91 barrels rosin, 1 barrel tar, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—182 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 9 barrels rosin, 55 barrels tar.

Str. Alice—25 barrels rosin, 36 barrels tar.

Total—4,512 bales cotton, 23 casks spirits turpentine, 125 barrels rosin, 125 barrels tar, 15 barrels crude turpentine.

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Greeted Candidate Everywhere He Spoke—Mention of Bank Deposits Guarantee Brought Shouts of Approval.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 27.—Winding up his remarkable campaign in and about Greater New York William Jennings Bryan was whirled 115 miles by automobile in Manhattan and Brooklyn during the day and night, and made eight speeches between the hours of 6 and 12 o'clock tonight. In New York he was accompanied by Tammany leader, Charles F. Murphy.

Arriving at Brooklyn Bridge he was met by Senator Patrick H. McCarren, the Democratic leader of Kings county. Lieutenant Governor Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler's campaign for Governor coincided with Mr. Bryan's itinerary both in Manhattan and Brooklyn and while he in one place was pleading for loyal support of the National ticket, Mr. Bryan at another was urging votes for the State candidates from Governor Chanler and for the Democratic nominees for Congress.

Mr. Bryan made 18 speeches during the long and tiring day and everywhere he went—ploughing at times through mud and rain in a rush to keep his many engagements—he was greeted by some of the largest and most enthusiastic audiences of his country-wide tour.

The Democratic candidates eventful day began at 3 A. M., when he addressed the night workers from the steps of the City Hall at the most unique political meeting ever held in a presidential campaign. Then followed a Broadway meeting at 10 o'clock and a forenoon trip to Brooklyn to address an audience of laboring men in Wallabout Market Square. From Brooklyn Mr. Bryan hurried across to Long Island City then to Jersey City where three speeches ended the New Jersey campaign. Back in New York again Mr. Bryan was the guest of the College Men's Democratic Club and then with Mr. Murphy was hurried up-town for two Harlem meetings. Six meetings in Brooklyn—the principal one at Clermont Avenue rink—brought the day's work to a close. Although he had had but two hours sleep out of forty-eight Mr. Bryan spoke with all his characteristic vigor and good humor.

In all of his speeches today Mr. Bryan warned the working men against traitors among them. He asserted that every laboring man who voted the Republican ticket would vote to repudiate the things that labor demanded in the Denver platform. He held up Mr. Taft as the enemy of labor and assailed him and President Roosevelt at every opportunity. Mr. Bryan's references to the guarantee of bank deposits brought shouts of approval at all of his meetings.

Lieutenant Governor Chanler shared everywhere in the welcome that were accorded to Mr. Bryan.

KERN IN INDIANA

Second Day Ends With Big Meeting in Decatur.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Fort Wayne, Ind., Oct. 27.—The second day of the campaign of John W. Kern by special trolley car through Indiana ended tonight with a big meeting in Decatur. Leaving Indianapolis, at 7:30 o'clock this morning, stops were made at Tipton, Kokomo, Logansport, Wabash and Huntington. From Decatur the party, which included, besides the Vice Presidential candidate, Senator T. P. Gore, of Oklahoma, Congressman Joseph T. Robinson, of Arkansas; Rev. Sam Small, of Atlanta, Ga., and other speakers.

In every city through which he passed today Mr. Kern was besieged by scores of old time friends who grasped his hand. He was introduced to his audiences as "Honest John" Kern, "Your old neighbor," or other terms indicating long acquaintance and friendship.

PRINCE MAKES A FLIGHT.

Ascended With Count Zeppelin in Re-Modelled Airship.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Friedrichshafen, Oct. 27.—Prince Henry, of Prussia, spent several hours in the air today as the guest of Count Zeppelin, who made an ascension in his re-modelled airship. Not only did the Prince thoroughly enjoy his experience but he sat at the steering wheel for many miles of the flight, guiding the movements of the craft and compelling it to execute all kinds of complicated maneuvers.

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TAFT IS AMONG N. Y. REPUBLICANS

Delivered a Number of Speeches Yesterday in Upper Part of State.

SPENT EVENTFUL DAY

Declared the Republican Party is As Much Opposed to Monopoly as Democratic—Greeted Crowds in Rain.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Troy, N. Y., Oct. 27.—The industries of the cities and towns which line the banks of the picturesque Hudson from Greater New York to Troy were made the text for the speeches of Candidate Taft today for the people of these cities and towns. Yonkers heard the candidate through a very hard shower. He talked to as many as could get into the largest theatre and he addressed a greater crowd who stood waiting in the rain.

Mr. Bryan spoke in Yonkers yesterday and, saying he understood his distinguished opponent had charged that the Republican party had done nothing for labor, Mr. Taft first asserted that the policies of the Republican party had been chiefly devoted to the interests of labor and then pointed out that the protective policy made possible the sugar-refining industry, the chief enterprise of the city.

"Certainly, Mr. Bryan was a bold man to advocate such views in a town like Yonkers," continued Mr. Taft, "As a sample," Mr. Taft said, "of the utterly impractical or destructive character of Mr. Bryan's recommendations with reference to economic reforms," he would cite what Mr. Bryan would do with the Yonkers sugar refinery, assuming for argument that the refinery was in a trust. "He would take off the differential on sugar—that protection which is necessary to enable us to have any sugar refineries in this country. It would cause the establishment of refineries in Germany, and all of your population here dependent on this refinery would be affected. And not only would it destroy the trust, but with it the independent refienries.

"The Republican party is just as much opposed to monopoly as the Democratic party," announced Mr. Taft later. "It passed and enforced the anti-trust law. It believes in going directly at the evil of monopoly by punishing men for continuing it, rather than by destroying the industries and the great combinations of capital that have so much utility, and are of such benefit to the wage earners. It believes in stamping out the evil and not stamping out the corporation."

Tarrytown, Peekskill and Fishkill Landing listened in the rain to short speeches delivered by the candidate from the rear of his car.

Troy, N. Y., Oct. 27.—A faulty engine delayed the Taft special so that it was nearly 10 o'clock before it reached Cohoes, where a monster meeting was addressed. The interests of labor were talked of at each place and enthusiasm was at high pitch. The theory of protection as explained was heartily applauded, and the candidate remarked that the people of Cohoes an industrial center seemed to be awake to their own interests. He said that Mr. Bryan was the author of the statement in the Democratic platform "protection is the robbery of the many for the benefit of the law."

Troy was reached at 10:30 o'clock. Immense Bolton Hall was packed and jammed with thousands.

ROOSEVELT'S BIRTHDAY.

Quietly Celebrated at the White House. Congratulatory Telegrams.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Oct. 27.—President Roosevelt observed his 50th anniversary today very simply. He attended to his executive duties as usual and except for the reception of a delegation from the Hungarian Club, of New York in the East Room of the White House and the reception of a large number of congratulatory messages, some floral tributes and gifts from the members of his family, the day was the same to him as any other day.

Late in the afternoon the President donned his khaki riding uniform and rough rider hat and went for a horseback ride, remaining out until 6 o'clock P. M. There was a jolly family dinner at the White House this evening in honor of the President's anniversary. No guests were present.

King Edward, of Great Britain, sent one of the first of the congratulatory messages received. It said:

"I request that you will accept my cordial congratulations upon the occasion of your birthday together with my best wishes for your welfare and prosperity."

Congratulatory messages were also received from Governor Hughes, of New York; Archbishop Ireland, at St. Paul, Minn., Whitelaw Reid, the American Ambassador to Great Britain, and others.

Information was received in New York yesterday that the Insular Line steamer S. V. Luckenbach, bound from New York to San Juan, Porto Rico, was on fire, while off Cape Hatteras, at 8 o'clock last night. The steamer Philadelphia of the Red D. line, also bound from New York to San Juan, was standing by the Luckenbach and reported by wireless telegraph that the fire in the Luckenbach's hold was under control. Both steamers left New York last Saturday. The Luckenbach carried 30 passengers.

Seven yard wide homespun 10 yards for 49 cents at Rehder's. **

Seats for "His Honor The Mayor" On Sale Tomorrow. **

NIGHT RIDER'S BAND IS SUED

Kentucky Farmer Institutes $1,000,000 Suit in Effort to Establish Contention.

FILED IN CIRCUIT COURT

In Their Raid Upon Independent Growers He Suffered Serious Consequences—All Members of Band Responsible.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 27.—In an endeavor to establish his contention that all persons connected with the Night Riders' Association are responsible for ravages made by any member of the organization, Henry Bennett, today filed a suit for $100,000 damages in the United States Circuit Court. The plaintiff on February 4th was set upon and terribly beaten with clubs and thorned switches by a band of night riders. At the same time his stemmery and tobacco factory and other large and valuable buildings were destroyed by the night riders. Mr. Bennett since then has been receiving letters threatening that he would be killed by night riders.

In the suit filed today he is proceeding not only against the actual persons who were present at the time of the destruction of his property and injury to himself but against a large number of other persons, many of whom are counted among the most prominent and prosperous citizens of the western part of Kentucky, alleging that they were members of a criminal conspiracy known as the "Night Rider Organization," or "Silent Brigade," and that they particiapted in the meetings which were held throughout many counties.

The contention of the plaintiff is that all persons who are members of the night riders organization are bound by the acts of the several night riders, all being alike responsible for the conduct and actions of the others, done in furtherance of the general object of the conspiracy which was to force all independent raisers and handlers of dark tobacco to place their tobacco in the pool controlled by the dark tobacco association.

NEW RAILWAY RULINGS

Free Passes to Ex-Employes Entering Service—Other Provisions Made.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Oct. 27.—Free passes may be issued to bona fide ex-employes of a railroad who are traveling to re-enter the railroad service." Passes cannot be extended to the families of employes who died a natural death while in the service of comon-carriers, though that privilege is accorded to the families of employes killed in the service. These are among the rulings announced by the Inter-State Commerce Commission today.

The commission holds that the railway provide in its tariff that when ever because of washouts or other accidents, passengers are delayed beyond their ticket limit or so as to curtail their stop-over privileges, the conductor or other agent may by endorsement on the ticket extend the time to cover such detention. This is to be honored by succeeding conductors on the companies lines, but cannot provide such extention over lines other than its own, except when provided in a proper joint tariff.

The commission also has authorized changing (by not over thirty days) the terms of short time excursion fare tariffs under certain conditions. When the excursion is limited to not more than three days changes may be posted one day in advance in two public places.

COLLEGE CLUB FOR BRYAN

A National League Organized in New York Yesterday.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 27.—Representing the Democrats in the universities and colleges throughout the United States graduates and under-graduates gathered at the Hofman House today and perfected the organization of the National League of College Men's Democratic Clubs, and incidentally listened to a fifteen minute address by William J. Bryan.

The meeting was presided over by Warren Jefferson Davis, George Washington University.

The immediate purpose of this convention, he said, "is to give Mr. Bryan the candidate of the people the endorsement of college men, both graduates and under-graduates. The ultimate end is the formation of a league of under-graduates for the election of a Democratic President four years hence.

Among the institutions represented were Yale, Harvard, Princeton, Cornell, Nebraska, George Washington, Georgetown, Columbia, Brown, Syracuse, William and Notre Dame.

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Mrs. Chas. E. Smith of West Franklin Maine, says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New Life Pills as our family laxative medicine, because they are good and do their work without making a fuss about it." These painless purifiers sold at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 25c.

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TRIBUTE TO HARRISON

Monument Unveiled in Honor of Ex-President at Indianapolis Yesterday by Vice President Fairbanks.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 27.—The tribute of his home was paid to General Benjamin Harrison today. The memory of Indiana's distinguished son, soldier, statesman and President of the United States, was honored in a way to be remembered by the thousands of citizens who gathered despite the cold, to witness the unveiling of the striking bronze likeness of their former fellow townsman. Vice President Chairles W. Fairbanks, who is president of the General Harrison Memorial Association, presented the monument to the people.

A parade participated in by the 10th United States infantry from Fort Benjamin Harrison, one regiment of the Indiana National Guard, and 700 civil War veterans, including many members of the 7th regiment, of which former President Harrison was colonel, preceded the unveiling exercises.

While the silent throng looked on, little Miss Elizabeth Harrison left the side of her mother in the reviewing stand opposite the monument and made her way past the seats of hundreds of her father's army comrades and up the steps till she stood before the draped figure of the man whose last photograph was taken with her in his arms. She reached out and tugged at a cord that hung loose from the flags that formed the draping. The flags released, opened out and revealed the bronze figure. The little girl then lifted an American flag from the base of the monument, uncovering an immense laurel wreath, sent by President Roosevelt. Carrying this, she returned and presented it to her mother.

The family party included Mrs. Harrison and daughter and Colonel Russell B. Harrison, the three members of General Harrison's cabinet, General John W. Noble, of St. Louis; John W. Foster, of Washington, and Mrs. Foster, and W. H. H. Miller, of Indianapolis; Mrs. J. E. Kuhn, of Fortress Monroe, Va., and Harrison Scott Morris, of Minneapolis, nephew of General Harrison. Others present included the members of the monument commission Governor J. Frank Hanly and wife, and Mayor Charles A. Bookwalter and wife.

NORTH CAROLINA SYNOD

Sessions Begin at Newbern—Officers Elected and Sermons Preached.

(Special Star Telegram.))

Newbern, N. C., Oct. 27.—Synod of North Carolna convened here tonight. The body was composed of about 85 ministers and 30 laymen, about one-third of the number expected. More will arrive tomorrow. The sermon was preached by Rev. C. H. Richards, of Statesville, the retiring moderator. The discourse was strong and was on enthusiasm and earnestness in Christian work. He urged against the passionlessness of the individual and of the church and made a powerful appeal to encourage the youth of the church.

After the sermon Rev. A. R. Shaw, of Charlotte, was elected moderator. Rev. E. R. Leyburn, of Durham Presbytery, and Rev. R. P. Smith, of Asheville Presbytery, were nominated for the office. Rev. E. C. Siler was elected clerk.

SCHOONER ROGERS AT NORFOLK.

Vessel That Went to Pieces on the North Carolina Coast.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 27.—Captain S. E. Lowry, commander of the ill-fated schooner Flora Rogers that went to pieces several mornings ago on Bodies Island, N. C., reached Norfolk tonight. Mrs. Lowry is in Elizabeth City, ill from exposure. The skipper tells of a nine-hour battle with the fierce gale that wrecked their three masts with the water waist deep rushing across her deck, great waves forcing them to lash each other to the rigging and how the anchor chains snapping, their ship was forced onto the beach.

Captain Lowry will return to the scene tomorrow with a crew of men to assist him in salving the lumber cargo. He praises highly the work of the life savers.

Inspector General Carlington, of the army, in a report made public yesterday at Washington, exonerated Chairman Goethals, of the Isthmian Canal Commission, of the charges made by President Brothers of the Balanced Crane Cable Co., of New York, who claimed that unfair treatment was accorded him in the award for furnishing and erecting cableways at Gatum, on the Isthmus. General Carlington holds that there was no collusion, that the award was made in good faith and recommends that the contract with the Liggerwood Company be proceeded with.

PUBLIC SPEAKING FRIDAY NIGHT. IREDELL MEARES, ESQ.

By invitation of the Taft Presidential Club will address the voters of Wilmington and New Hanover county in the Court House here Friday night at 8 o'clock, at which time he will give his reasons for advocating the election of Mr. Taft for President of the United States instead of Mr. Bryan. Having heard one side of the question discussed, every intelligent citizen of the community and especially the business men owe it to themselves to come out and hear the other side, by a citizen native and to the manor born of Wilmington, in order that they may know how to cast their ballots at the election next Tuesday for their own best interest and that of the country at large. All voters without regard to their past political affiliations are most cordially invited to attend. **

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JURY IN NORFOLK CASE.

Were Unable to Agree as to Death of A. McNeal.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 27.—The coroner's jury inquiring into the manner of the death of A. McNeal, a lawyer fatally shot in his apartments last April, his wife claiming the wound was self-inflicted and by accident, failed to agree tonight. All the State was able to develop was the fact that Mr. and Mrs. McNeal were having domestic trouble; that McNeal was infatuated with another woman, Lizzie Deans, and that Mrs. McNeal had appealed to Sheriff J. F. Lawter to arrest her husband. He refused to comply with the request.

Lizzie Deans was called to the stand and testified that McNeal had rented a house on Ohio Avenue and that they were to have gone there to live together on the morning that he was shot. McNeal had told the woman that Mrs. McNeal was going North the same morning. The jury will consider the case again tomorrow.

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